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J. Pierpoint Morgan Dead

J. Pierpoint Morgan died in Rome, Italy, Monday, twelve minutes before noon, which was about 6 a. m. New York time.

Mr. Morgan had been traveling in Egypt and Italy seeking rest and health since December. Frequent reports had been received of his illness but it seemed only to be intermittent and temporary. After his arrival at Rome, however, he became very sick and his recovery was soon despaired of.

Mr. Morgan was born in 1837 in New England and inherited New England traditions along with ten million dol-

lars from his father. While it was thought that he did not possess his father's business ability, he soon developed into the world's greatest financier.

His physicians claim that his sickness was due largely to excitement over the money trust investigation before which he testified previously to his departure for the East. On his last trip, for the first time in life, he severed himself from all business relations.

It is not thought that his death will have any serious effect upon the stock markets.

KENTUCKY'S CONSERVATION POLICY

In an editorial last week we discussed the so called development of the mountains, characterizing it as exploitation and devastation and speaking of conservation as a term only heard of as affecting distant states. But since writing this editorial, there has come into our hands a circular outlining the conservation policy of the state. This policy is the result of an act of the Legislature at its last session which provides that the State Board of Forestry shall have power to purchase lands in the name of the state for suitable forest reserves at a price not exceeding \$10 per acre. The Board may also accept gifts of land and money for forestry purposes.

It is the aim of the Board to acquire lands in portions of the state where the need of scientific forestry is most plainly evident.

Another object of this board, through its chief officer, the state forester, is to cooperate with counties, municipalities, corporations and individuals in preparing plans for the direction, management and replacement of trees, wood lots and timber tracts. The only charge for this service is traveling expenses of the men employed. Much of this work can be done by correspondence, and the state forester at Frankfort invites questions relating to any subject under the scope of his department.

Though late, this is a good beginning for the state, and it is to be hoped that before many years many practically abandoned farms and all devastated tracts will be reforested by the state and in its permanent possession, or by individuals and corporations at the state's direction and help. It is also to be hoped that some tracts of our touched forests will fall into the hands of the state for preservation.

Berea has given the State a practical demonstration of the benefits of forestry and her classes in scientific forestry have done and will do much more to make the movement popular.

TO MEN WHO TIP THE BOTTLE

We have some good friends, younger and older as well, in the vicinity of Berea who have a weakness for tipping the bottle. With all such friends we wish to have an earnest friendly word.

The blind tiger, which has been a seduction near Berea, has recently received a swat in the face, and the importing of liquor through the express office has been stopped. Now it is up to these friends to decide whether, with these temptations lessened, or removed, they will seize the opportunity to swear off and be free from a weakness which they certainly regret, or whether they will continue to be the slaves of the bottle and set their wits at work to find new ways of indulging an appetite which they know is harmful.

The appetite for intoxicating liquors is a kind of slavery. It makes people do things they never intended to do. Men who have committed crimes under the influence of liquor have almost invariably been very much surprised to find that they had fallen into such things.

And there are higher pleasures and better ways of having a good time. There is work to do, there are times to whistle, songs to sing, horses to drive, quarts to pitch, balls to throw, visits to make, papers to read, dogs and guns and fishing poles. Let us all have a good time without tipping the bottle.

Floods on Upper Ohio Subsid

River Stationary nearly a Foot Below Mark of '84 Both at Cincinnati and Louisville, Cincinnati Record Being About 70 Feet and Louisville's 45 Feet.

The floods in the Ohio Valley, due to the heavy rains falling as late as Thursday, the 27th, have been the most disastrous during the week in the history of the country. Hitherto the chief damage has been done as long the Ohio, but the floods of the past week have been unique in that the upper water courses and tributaries of the Ohio have done the most damage. And it is worthy of note that Ohio and Indiana, states practically devoid of forests, have been the chief sufferers.

At present the waters in the tributaries have subsided and the Ohio is endeavoring to carry off the burden of the floods, and the cities and towns along its banks are now the sufferers, and a week later and turn-out most of the present month, the Mississippi will likely be a terror to the people within many miles of its banks.

The cities in Ohio hardest struck by the floods are Dayton, Columbus, Hamilton, Mansfield, Tiffin, Chillicothe, Middletown, Fremont, Piquette, Harrison, Troy, Valley Junction, Zanesville, Massillon and Cleveland, and the destruction of life estimated at nearly four hundred.

In Indiana, Peru, Brookville, Fort Wayne and Terre Haute were the chief sufferers, with a death list of fifty.

It will be noted that the first reports were greatly exaggerated and necessarily so because of the terrorizing nature of the floods which made

communication impossible, whole sections of cities being submerged and the inhabitants being marooned in the upper stories of buildings and garrets. Inasmuch as many houses were absolutely washed away and hundreds of bodies were seen in the muddy waters, eye witnesses from a distance concluded that thousands and even ten thousands of others were lost. While the loss is comparatively small, considered in the light of the first figures, it is appalling and cannot be estimated by the death list alone. There are literally thousands upon thousands of people homeless and penniless. Months and even years will not suffice for the rebuilding of their homes and fortunes, though states and the nation and hundreds of generous individuals have come to their rescue.

The property loss is so far without definite estimate. It will certainly not fall below a hundred millions, and before the flood subsides in the Ohio and the Mississippi it may pass the billion mark.

The disaster, viewed from the standpoint of traffic, would seem to have struck the very vitals of the nation, having put out of commission the chief railroad lines between the east and the west. Passenger traffic between Chicago, Louisville, Cincinnati and the east was practically suspended for nearly a week, even the mails and telegraphic communication.

In other columns will be found the flood story as regards the outlying districts of Kentucky.

ed new military law, which provides for a large increase in military expenditures. It is officially announced that the purpose to increase the army is not to engage in war or to threaten other nations, but simply to be prepared in case there should be complications. It is said to be purely a matter of self-defense.

ENGLAND UNDECIDED

The movement in France and Germany and many other continental powers toward a large increase in military forces is creating a good deal of excitement in England. The king's speech in opening Parliament was looked forward to with the hope that it would give some suggestion as to the government's policy, but it did not. The people were hoping that a time of general peace was arriving, and that military expenditures might be curtailed. England relies chiefly upon her navy, and the English people have not been niggardly in their appropri-

The Trouble Grows

The finances of the state continue to get in a worse condition. Within the last few days the United States Government has withdrawn Prof. Alvin Reed, an expert dairymen, assigned to Kentucky, whose expenses were to be paid by the State Experiment Station. This the state was unable to do owing to the lack of funds in the state treasury.

Within the last month the state has also refused payment of Confederate pensions, and the appropriation at the state reform school has been held up, or cut down from \$20,000 to \$5,000.

Possibly the most serious situation is that confronting the State University and the two normal schools. A letter made public by Pres. Crabbe of the Eastern Kentucky Normal school states that his institution has not received a dollar in revenue for months. The letter caused sufficient excitement to bring together the sinking fund commissioners, at whose suggestion the governor is sending the state inspector to Richmond to find out just how the institution has been spending the money it did not get.

UNITED STATES NEWS IN OUR OWN STATE

Two of the Aliens Electrocutated—The Taft at New Haven—Want Patterson Pardoned—Fast Train Ditched—Tennessee Legislature in Middlesboro—Publisher and Editor Goes to Court of St. James

ALLENS PAY THE PENALTY

Floyd Allen and his son, Claude, sentenced to death for the Court-house murders in Hillsville a year ago, were both electrocuted last Friday.

Governor Mann was out of the state during the last few hours of the criminals, and an effort was made to get the Lieutenant Governor to intervene and commute their sentences, but the Governor was notified in Philadelphia, and immediately returned to the State, when the execution went forward.

TAFTS LEAVE THE SOUTH

Ex-Pres. Taft and family have been sojourning at their winter cottage in Augusta, Ga., since March 5th, but they left for the north, Friday, and the former President will take up his duties as Professor of Law at Yale University.

WANT PATTERSON PARDONED

Pres. Wilson is being urged to pardon Joan H. Patterson, President of

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Mayor Uses Fiat—Callahan Cases Called Again—Writings Rise Up to Plague Him—Delayed Mails—General Buckner, Ninety

MAYOR CASSIDY, A FIGHTER

Mayor Cassidy of Lexington was accosted on the streets, Sunday evening, by a former saloon keeper, whose license he had revoked for violating the Sunday ordinance some time ago. After a few words the Mayor was struck on the chin by the saloon keeper, but defended himself in great style, knocking his opponent down with a stroke on the jaw. Bystanders interfered, but the Mayor had already won the fight.

CALLAHAN CASES CALLED

The case of the Commonwealth vs. the fifteen defendants in the Callahan conspiracy cases was called at Winchester, Monday. Jurymen were summoned from Clark County.

After a statement for the defense Judge Benton continued the cases till the next term of court.

PLAGUED BY HIS WRITING

Robert W. Woolley of Kentucky reported to be Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo's selection for first assistant, fails to meet the Senate's approval. It is said, because of articles published some time ago criticizing that body. President Wilson is able to sympathize with Woolley, having had like experiences over his own writings, and the Treasurer, it is claimed, will insist upon the appointment.

DELAYED MAILS

Mail of all kinds has been delayed for nearly a week owing to the flood situation in the Ohio Valley. It has been almost impossible to get mail from New York or Boston or from Chicago and northern points. Letters mailed in Boston a week ago are just arriving.

The Lexington Postoffice was delayed, Monday, with the first mail from the East for a number of days, and that came by special car, having been despatched to the South through Tennessee and over the Queen and Crescent.

A NONAGENARIAN

General Simon Bolivar Buckner, known as the sage of Glen Lily, General in the Confederate Army, having surrendered to General Grant at Fort Donelson early in the war, and later Governor of Kentucky, celebrated his 90th birthday, April 1st. He was born in 1823 and is still hale and hearty.

Labor troubles are often caused by men who are trying to make a living without work.

There is many a wife whose husband belongs to the church, who never suspects that he has religion.

MRS. WHITELAW REID



Mrs. Reid is the widow of the late ambassador from the United States to Great Britain.

The Fight on Hook Worm

The Rockefeller Sanitary Commission began its work in 1910 and its third annual report has recently been published. This report is one of the most graphic histories of the warfare on disease ever published. Some of the figures, owing to the recent work done in Berea, will undoubtedly prove of interest to our readers.

In 1910 the commission operated in six states, microscopically examining 14,789 persons and treating 11,423. In 1911 the work covered eleven states, 59,724 being examined microscopically and 149,378 treated. In 1912 eleven states were embraced in the work with 324,954 microscopical examinations and 238,758 treated. For the three years a total of 132,451 were examined and 364,556 treated. On an average, 359 persons have been treated per day since the work began, and the average cost to the commission for each person treated during the last year is the small sum of 77 cents. In other words, it has only cost 77 cents to cure each of these sufferers and lift them to a better scale of living.

The work in Kentucky was begun in 1912, 23,028 persons being treated. The board announces that it expects to treat over a hundred thousand in the state this year, dispensaries being established in every county where the Fiscal Courts or local authorities make appropriations to defray local expenses, which includes the actual cost of the medicine for the treatment of the indigent.

If the campaign is kept up, at the previous rate, but in five years will be necessary to entirely stamp out the disease. A few years will show a wealthier, happier and regenerated Southland.

THE STORY

We are running the second installment of our new story this week. It is not too late to look up last week's paper and read the introduction. Every one interested in clean politics should take this opportunity to follow a modern progressive in his struggle for government of the people.

OUR ADS.

We call the attention of our readers to the character of our ads. We have the best display now we have ever had. It will be seen that they are scattered over the various pages and are both home and foreign. Two interesting new ones will be discovered this week, the large display of the Malley and Carew Company on page 2, and the Green Seal Paint on page 5, the latter being run in the interest of a local advertiser, Mr. Clarkston, the hardware man. Newspapers are not only beneficial for their news, and, as The Citizen, for its home and farm articles, but when they have the right standard it is a fact that they put before the reading public the best class of merchandise that can be purchased and show just where it can be had the cheapest.

FOR FRUIT GROWERS

Every home owner or renter who has an orchard should read our article this week on page 7 entitled "The Codling Moth." It is hardly likely that the cold weather of the last week has done much damage to the fruit but this moth will if precautions are not taken. Full directions are given for spraying so as to save the crop.

WORLD NEWS

Adrianople Falls at Last—New Military Law For Germany—England May Increase Army and Navy—Mexican Rebels Gain Victory.

ACKNOWLEDGE THEY ARE WHITE

Too late for the press last week, came the announcement of the fall of Adrianople, which has been expected for a number of months. The gallant defense of this and other fortresses, by the Turks who experienced defeat on every battlefield of the war, is the sole crumb of comfort for the hitherto doughy fighters.

MME DE LABOULAYE



One of the new and charming additions to Washington's diplomatic circle is Mme. de Laboulaye, wife of the new second secretary of the French embassy.

Following this catastrophe, which was inevitable, the Porte has announced its acceptance of all the terms of peace proposed by the European Powers, and it is expected that hostilities will cease within a few weeks, the Turks contenting themselves with holding only Constantinople of all their European possessions. Ultimately they will have to trek back into the deserts of Asia and Africa unless they yield to the seductions of modern progressivism.

GERMANY TO INCREASE ARMY

The German Reichstag met after the Easter holidays, Wednesday. The most important measure, which will come up for discussion, is the propos-

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BAD ROADS AND GOOD SCHOOLS

The following is an extract from a very interesting and important contribution to the current issue of Farm and Fireside:

"Out of twenty-five million children in the United States, less than eighteen million go to school.

"Of those seven million children who do not go to school, half of them live in the country, where bad roads—muddy roads, rutty roads, dangerous roads—not only prevent them from getting to and from school, but by their impoverishment of the farm prevent the existence of any good schools for them to go to.

"Many children are killed each year walking railroads to school. Why? They have no roads to walk on. Many children each year have no schools to go to. Why? The roads are so bad there is no profit in farming, no money for schools, no progress, no growth no ambition. Hundreds of thousands of children yearly have to do with a little schooling, a little part of a term at school—why? Because father needs their help on the farm—he isn't making money enough to spare his children's time for school-days because he has to pay as much for hauling his crops to market he has no profit left over for extra hired help.

"Isn't it your problem too Mrs. Mother? Isn't it worth your while to agitate the question? Isn't it worth your while to bring it up in church, in school, in society, in club, in neighborhood, to talk, to inquire, to agitate, to educate, those who don't know, and perhaps don't want to know, to understand that the expense of good roads is like the expense of a new threshing-machine, plow or a pair of horses, sure to come back many fold in the course of time."

"QUEER" PEOPLE

Every neighborhood has what are called "queer" folks. Sometimes it is a woman who is "queer;" sometimes a man who is "peculiar." As a rule, a man or a woman is "queer" the moment he or she does something different from the way others in the community do the same thing. Let a woman chance, for instance, to have the slightest spark of individuality in her ideas of dress, and if those ideas happen to differ from the prevailing modes, or from the dress of her neighbors, she is at once "queer." Suppose a woman's neighbors do not happen to be interested in the same things in which she is interested, and she chances thereby to keep somewhat to herself so that she may pursue the things which attract her—in other words, let her think that her time is of more value to her than to spend it listening to the gossip of her neighbors and in "visiting" round or "calling"—that woman is at once adjudged "queer." Suppose a mother happens to believe that to be with her children at home is a greater pleasure to her, and possibly a greater benefit to her children, and she prefers to stay with them instead of rushing off here to a "tea" or there to a "card-party;" or, in other words, suppose she happens to be one of those old-fashioned women who love their homes and their children—and, worse than all, their husbands—better than the world outside and the things that she thinks don't count for quite so much, you are told that she is a "very peculiar woman; nice, oh, yes charming in many ways, but so-o-peculiar. Queer, you know."—Ladies Home Journal.

ILLEGIBLE SIGNATURES

A word may be said as to the legibility of a signature. Dozens of people write plainly and legibly until they reach the page where they sign their name. The signature trails off vaguely, vowels and consonants running into one another until the unfortunate individual who receives the letter is puzzled to ascertain from whom it has come. A woman who re-

ceives a great many letters from the outside public is sometimes compelled to paste the signature of a correspondent on the envelope that carries back her reply to an interesting letter. She has decided upon this plan as the only peaceable way of saving herself from misunderstanding and of lessening the burdens of the officials in Washington who open and return dead letters.—The Christian Herald.

When Strikers Were Flogged.

In the days when George III. was king the law provided that if a man refused to work during any dispute about wages he should not only be sentenced to a term of imprisonment, but receive a sound flogging as well. An amusing story is told which proves that even in those days there lived at least one man, and he no less a personage than the then lord mayor of London, who sympathized with the strikers and who, alas, was made to bitterly regret his leniency in this respect. During Mr. Wood's tenure of office a certain journeyman sugar baker, having had the audacity to go on strike for higher wages, was duly brought before the lord mayor and charged with this heinous offense. The humane Mr. Wood put him in prison, but omitted to make an order for the flogging on the warrant of commitment, so that the prisoner escaped this most humiliating and painful part of his punishment. When he had done his time the sugar baker, instead of throwing himself before the lord mayor in an ecstasy of gratitude, brought an action against him for breach of the law, and the jury were compelled to award him damages for being illegally deprived of his flogging!—Pearson's Weekly.

The Webb Law

An Effective Ally to the Temperance Forces

History of Temperance Reform

The Temperance Reform movement began in 1785 with the publication of a pamphlet by Mr. Benjamin Rush, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, a member of the Constitutional Convention and Revolutionary hero.

The history of the movement from its beginning to the present time is one of the most thrilling in the world's annals. At intervals it seemed that temperance sentiment declined, but the decline was only temporary, and decade by decade the forces were rallied and reinforced, advanced ground having been taken ranging all the way from a call to the temperate use of ardent spirits to the insistence upon total abstinence both as to the use of ardent and fermented spirits. And then came the organized movements for prohibition, the attempt to prohibit by high license, prohibition by local option and state wide prohibition.

The warfare has culminated within the last month, after a fight of more than twenty years, in the passage of the so called Webb Bill, the successor to the Shepherd-Kenyon Bill in Congress, which will be the most effective ally of the temperance forces in the nation, as it will allow local self-government in temperance matters, prohibiting, as it does, the interstate shipment of liquor into dry territory in any state.

The law should be of interest to every reader of The Citizen, whether his sentiments are prohibition or otherwise, and it follows in full.

TEXT OF LAW

"The shipment or transportation, in any manner or by any means whatsoever, of any spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented, or other intoxicating liquor of any kind, from one State, Territory, or District of the United States, or place noncontiguous to, but subject to the jurisdiction thereof, into any other State, Territory, or District of the United States, or place noncontiguous to, but subject to the jurisdiction thereof, or from any foreign country into any State, Territory, or District of the United States, or place noncontiguous to, but subject to the jurisdiction thereof, which said spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented or other intoxicating liquor is intended to be received, possessed, sold or in any manner used, either in the original package, or otherwise, in violation of any law of such State, Territory, or District of the United States, or place noncontiguous to, but subject to the jurisdiction thereof, is hereby prohibited."

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Temperance

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TO PREVENT LIQUOR TRAFFIC

Governor Maine Heartily Applauds for Stand He Takes on Enforcement of Statutes.

Once and only once during the reading of Governor Maine's splendid inaugural address, says the Portland Evening Express, did the members of the legislature and the interested spectators break forth in hearty and spontaneous applause. This was when he spoke of the liquor law.

"I shall do all in my power during my term of office," said the governor, "to encourage the honest enforcement of all our statutes against the liquor traffic; and I ask all good citizens who have the love of their fellowmen at heart to join with me in this undertaking. I especially ask the press of the state, without regard to its political or party allegiance, to help in creating a public sentiment against rum selling and rum drinking. It can do more to help or more to hinder in this cause than any other influence in the state. No one can doubt the curse of intoxicating liquors to those who use them. Science has proved their certain destruction to health and life. Business no longer tolerates them. The man seeking employment with rum on his breath finds no work, but is relegated to the realm of trampdom. The husky man who indulges in his use very soon finds that he has no credit at the bank. The transportation companies do not find it safe to employ men who drink. The farmer who returns home from town drunk has the contempt of his neighbor, his wife and children, and their pity and sympathy. The professional man who was once called brilliant, with the remark that 'it is too bad he drinks,' is now called a fool for throwing his life away. No sane man in the light of modern investigation and science, can give any excuse for the use of intoxicating liquors or for the grog shops from which they are dispensed.

"The man whose business it is to sell liquor in violation of law is, as a rule, too lazy and shiftless to do anything else. He is in that business for the money he can make out of it, and when once he has engaged in it, he becomes so demoralized that afterward he is disqualified for any other vocation. The money he takes, especially from the laboring man, to whom he does the most harm, cannot be spent for clothing, food or other necessities or luxuries of life."

"Let not the sun go down upon thy wrath."

EVIL EFFECTS OF ALCOHOL

Investigations Among Soldiers Show That Liquor Lessens Enduring Qualities While Marching.

BY COL. L. MERVIN MAUS, Medical Corps, United States Army.

During the Swedish alcoholic investigations among soldiers a number of picked non-commissioned officers and men were selected for rifle practice. The tests covered a number of days, part of which time the men were tried out with small quantities of alcohol, about 1½ ounces of brandy. The results were invariably the same. When alcohol was taken during quick fire, the hits were 30 per cent less, although the men imagined they were firing quicker. When slow aiming was allowed the difference was 50 per cent in favor of abstaining days. During the marching tests some of the men were allowed alcohol, while others were deprived of its use. The drinking men were found far inferior in marching and enduring qualities besides all of the sunstrokes and heat exhaustions occurred among the drinking class. As a result of these experiments the Austrian soldier is not allowed to carry brandy on his person, as was previously the case.

Our Greatest Foe.

Dr. Howard A. Kelley of Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, characterizes the liquor traffic as follows:

"Had alcohol never been discovered, and were it then in my power to portray the effects of such a discovery, all men, without exception, would declare it impossible to conceive of any more diabolical plan for the degradation and destruction of the human race. Our greatest foes are the manufacturers and the distributors of alcohol. The story of injuries done by drink is so written in the sad life history of many of our greatest men; is so evident throughout our land in equalor, poverty, misery and crime, and replete in prisons, workhouses and asylums, as well as in domestic infelicity, that it is inconceivable that any intelligent, rational man can deny the necessity for strong, united action to rid the land of both manufacturer and distributor."

Abstinence is Essential.

James Thorpe, the champion of the Olympic games, is an Indian, and discussing the welfare of the Indian race, he said:

"Total abstinence is essential to my people. The average Indian cannot drink temperately. His idea of temperance is like that of the country gentleman who said:

"I drink brandy only on two occasions—when I have roast chicken for dinner and when I haven't."—Detroit Free Press.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson I.—Second Quarter, For April 6, 1913.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Gen. xxvii, 22-34. Memory Verses, 33, 34—Golden Text, Isa. xxi, 18—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearna.

Seven other sons, including Ishmael, are recorded as having been born to Abraham by his secondary wives, but to Isaac he gave all his possessions (xxv, 1, 2, 5) and sent the others away unto the east country. Abraham lived 175 years, and when he died Isaac and Ishmael laid his body beside that of Sarah in the cave of Machpelah (xxv, 7-10). While he lived he looked for the city which hath foundations whose builder and maker is God (Heb. xi, 10, 11), and he is still waiting for it and for the complete fulfillment of the promises made to him as heir of the world (Rom. iv, 13). Time is long to us, but not to him to whom a thousand years are but as yesterday when it is past (Ps. xc, 4) and as a watch in the night.

It is useful to see Isaac dwelling the well Lahai-roi, the well of him that liveth and seeth (xxv, 11; xvi, 14, margin). He was forty years old when he married Rebekah, and he was sixty when the twins Jacob and Esau were born. It foretold trouble to read that Isaac loved Esau, but Rebekah loved Jacob (xxv, 20, 26-28), and the reason given for Isaac's love for Esau does sound very earthly.

Futures were not any more real to Esau than they are to multitudes to day. A mess of pottage was more to him as a hungry man than his birthright (xxv, 29-34), and for this he is spoken of as a profane person, or, according to Weymouth, "ungodly" (Heb. xi, 10). Think of the profanity abounding everywhere because the god of this world is blinding so many eyes to the realities of the future kingdom and glory.

In chapter xxvi we read of Isaac's failure on the same line on which his father had failed twice. In calling his wife his sister to save his own life (Gen. xli and xxi). In xxvi, 4, we have the star promise confirmed to Isaac, and in verses 12-15 we see how greatly the Lord blessed him and how very rich the blessing of the Lord makes one.

A beautiful incident is related in verses 17 to 23 as to how yielding instead of strife makes manifest the life of Christ in us. The Philistines had filled up some of Abraham's wells Isaac reopened one, and then they claimed it as theirs, and he let them have it. He reopened another, and they claimed that one, too, and he let them have it. When he reopened a third for some reason they did not strive for that. Later they came to him to make a covenant with him and gave as their reason for desiring it, "We saw certainly that the Lord was with thee" (verse 28). Had he contended with them and insisted on keeping the wells, which would have been quite right in the eyes of the world, they would have seen Isaac and not the Lord, but he had learned the lesson of rather taking wrong and suffering himself to be defrauded (1 Cor. vi, 7). It is most interesting to note that the same day his servants in digging a well found water (xxvi, 21).

It is indeed sad to have to turn from such a beautiful incident to the lesson for today, which is a record of a awful desert and lying and, worst of all, a mother putting her son up to it and calling down the consequences upon her own head (xxvii, 13). Her aim was to bring the father's blessing upon the son whom she loved, but if she had only believed God and left the matter in His hands He would not have failed to keep His word, for He had told her before the boys were born that the older should serve the younger (Gen. xxv, 23). There is everywhere today a tendency to help the Lord to do what He has no thought of doing, and that is to win the world to Himself in this age, with the devil still doing his devilish work.

There is also such a lack of confidence in God and His plan for His kingdom that many religious people try to work out their own plan, thinking thus to help God. The devil hates the love of God, the patience of God, the purpose of God, and is as busy with many of the people of God as he was with Rebekah that day, but they are blinded and consoled (1 Cor. iv, 3, 4; Rom. vi, 25). This record of Rebekah makes us think of another mother who was her son's counselor to do wickedly (1 Chron. xli, 3), but one would hate to associate Rebekah with such an Athaliah, though it is true of all that the heart is deceitful and desperately wicked and the carnal mind is enmity against God (Jer. xvii, 9; Rom. vii, 7). If some of us have not developed the same degree of humility as others it is only the grace of God that has kept us.

Note the lie upon the life of this story: "I am Esau, thy firstborn." "I am thy very son Esau" (verses 19, 20, 21).

But he was found out even as it is written, "He sure your sin will find you out" (Num. xxvii, 23), though those words were used in a wholly different sense when uttered or written. We do well to remember that "God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether it be good or whether it be evil" (Eccl. xii, 14). This may have been the first but certainly not the last story of kid glove deceit on record.

NOTED SPEAKERS WILL BE HEARD

When Kentucky Educational Association Meets.

GATHERING AT LOUISVILLE.

Program Committee of K. E. A. Extremely Fortunate in Securing Services of Many Distinguished Educators and Speakers of National Reputation. Partial List Given Here.

If never there, you ought to go.
If ever there, you'll want to go.

The program committee of the Kentucky Educational Association has been extremely fortunate in securing the services of practically all the prominent speakers that were originally selected for the gathering in Louisville on April 30 and May 1, 2 and 3. The music will be quite varied, as it is planned to have high school glee clubs, class choruses and organ recitals.

Before becoming president of the Armour Institute of Technology of Chicago Dr. Gumsaulius occupied some of the largest pulpits in that city. Whether Dr. Gumsaulius talked in his church or in one of Chicago's great theaters, he always had a large audience to listen to him say big things in a splendid, big way.

Dr. Gumsaulius' lecture dates have carried him all over the country in the winter, and during the summer he is always in demand as a popular Chattanooga talker. One of the finest things about Dr. Gumsaulius is that, although he is popular, he has never failed to say strong, vigorous things.

Colonel Henry Exall.

It will be an inspiration to the trustees who attend the Kentucky Educational Association to listen to Colonel Exall of Texas. Last January the Commercial club of Louisville had Colonel Exall as the speaker at the annual New Year gathering and he simply electrified the men present.

Sometime over two years ago Colonel Exall decided that it was time for Texas to take care of her soil. Now,



when Colonel Exall decides things ought to be done the things usually have a way of getting done. He at once inaugurated the Texas Industrial congress, which offered \$10,000 in gold as prizes for crops in all parts of Texas. It was soon evident that the \$10,000 in gold was the least expensive part of the undertaking for the various contestants must be kept in touch with each other and the congress. The undertaking cost \$30,000 for the first year. Colonel Exall raised the funds.

This year 4,000 men, women, boys and girls contested for the prizes and the whole state is awake to the fact that results are being produced. In fact this feeling has become so strong that a group of business men are preparing to finance the Texas Industrial congress for a period of three years.

Dr. Charles Evans.

Dr. Charles Evans is president of the State Normal school at Edmond, Okla. He is a transplanted Kentuckian, and like any number of transplanted Kentuckians he has made good in the state of his adoption. He grew up with the country, and grew up big. In fact he has grown so big that he is now being spoken of as the next state superintendent of Oklahoma.

His new book, "Growing a Life," published by Hurd, McNally & Co., is receiving favorable comment from prominent educators in all parts of the country. It will probably be adopted as one of the Kentucky reading circle books for the ensuing year.

Dr. Alston Ellis.

Another ex-Kentuckian on the program of the Kentucky Educational Association is Dr. Alston Ellis, president of the Ohio university at Athens. For twelve years he has been making history at the University of Ohio, so he is sure to have something worth while to say to the teaching force of his home state.

It is said that his love for Kentucky has never been dimmed by his service out of the state. In fact it is rumored that he will build a handsome home at Fort Thomas, Ky., where he will reside after leaving the university in 1915.

LETTER FROM PROF. DOOR

Unicoi, Tenn., March 22, 1913.

To the Editor of The Citizen:

I had lived in the time of nineteen Presidents, and never had seen one inaugurated. So, fearing I should not be contemporaneous with as many more I immediately arranged to be at the nation's capitol on the 4th inst. Wishing to get "the day of the land," beforehand, like the man who took a three mile run in his preparation to jump over a fence, I was on hand twelve days in advance of the great event. I soon concluded that others besides myself were expected, for the chief industry at Washington, during the intervening time, if we except the night and day labors of Congress upon the "pork barrel" appropriation bills, seemed to be the erection of seats for beholding the great inaugural parade. These occupied vacant lots, front yards, verandas, front rooms, and even roofs of buildings some of them eight or ten stories high, along the mile and a half traversed by the marchers. In this way perhaps one tenth of the half million spectators were able, like myself, to have seats for the five hours required to view the imposing pageant presented by the regular troops, militia of twenty states, the stove pipe hatted governors, the thousand Princeton students, and unbounded Taumany. Some of the hundred bands had from a hundred to a hundred and fifty members.

Through the courtesy of a Senator I had one of the two seats at his disposal, to witness the impressive exercises in the Senate Chamber. And two rich hours they were. There was no stint of time for studying the handsome Mrs. Wilson and her three happy daughters, just across the corner, for like them, I had a front seat in the Senate Gallery. I heard read a veto message from the President, sent in almost at the expiring gasp of the old Congress. I saw that thrilling turning back of the hands of the clock, to help Congress catch another breath. I gazed upon the succession of ceremonious entrance upon the main floor of the hall—each impressively announced, and each time the Senators and the galleries rising and standing in silence. First came the House of Representatives; after a suitable interval, the forty-four foreign diplomats, in karls ranking from a civilized dress suit to that of a circus clown or "big chief" in his war paint; then, the Supreme Court Justices in their somber robes; and last, President Taft, President elect Wilson, and Vice Pres. elect Marshall. The last named was then obligated, his well phrased inaugural read, by him the new Senate sworn in, four at a time, and then we all went out upon the great platform, on the east side of the capitol, to see Taft lay down his great burdens and Wilson take them up. The taking of the oath

Pineville's New Enterprise

A Motor Company has been formed in Pineville with a capital of \$50,000 to manufacture and sell a spring motor, the invention of Mr. H. L. Pitman of that place. The motor is so arranged that it will run a sewing machine for five or six hours without rewinding, a fan for cooling the room, or dynamo making sufficient electricity to light the house.

Mr. Pitman also proposes to place storage springs in the walls of the of office by the new Chief Magistrate exemplified Republican brevity and simplicity. There being a "hundred thousand, or perhaps a few more who wished they were in hearing distance, each one could not be expected to pass judgment upon the inaugural address, first hand. President Wilson, possibly not aware of my presence, persistently laced the vast throng of common people who were forced to stand, and so I got the inaugural from the newspapers just as you did. But I read it after the fireworks, that night, and went to rest feeling that the country is safe. And almost everybody seems to feel the same way. We all love our President and his charming family, even though we did not vote for them.

The country saved, "On to Richmond" became my slogan. I doubt if anybody ever saw more of the old Confederate capital, in less than twenty-four hours. I visited the fields of the hard fought battles of Fair Oaks and Seven Pines. There, in 1862, McClellan's army reached a point within seven miles of the Rebel capital. It took nearly three years to finish the journey. I saw statues of Confederate idols almost as plentiful as those of heathen gods used to be at Athens. In the really fine Hollywood cemetery, I stood by the last resting place of two Presidents, Monroe and Tyler. And there, also, was the tenfold finer tomb, better kept and more ostentatiously inscribed, of the alleged President, Jefferson Davis. I turned away more in sorrow than in anger.

Leaving Richmond I went through North Carolina. I was some hours at Greensboro, where my army discharge is dated. Two or three days were spent at and near Thomasville, the scene of some interesting experiences, when the neutralists of army life were so far relaxed as to permit calls at the homes of families for miles around. Though almost forty-eight years have elapsed and nearly all whose acquaintances I then made are now gone, this renewal of old associations was one of the most pleasant experiences of my life. At one place where I was sent with a dear comrade, John Harrett, still living in my native county, to decide

room which will be wound by a small windmill on the roof of the house, thus furnishing sufficient power with no expense, except the initial outlay, to do all the work of a modern home that can be done by machinery.

A plant has been bought at a cost of \$1,500 and \$6,000 worth of machinery ordered. A number of sewing machines constructed in Mr. Pitman's private plant are already in use. The stockholders are practically all local capitalists.

which of two men was really a certain colored woman's husband, I found the proprietor's son, 15 years old at that time. We had been guests for a day, until the case was settled, the threatened bloodshed averted. Now I ate in the same place as of yore, and went up to the same room where we slept that night after months of lying on the ground. And this man's son is now President of a State Normal School in Oklahoma. One man whom I visited had some recollection of Comrade Munger and me, who visited their home then, three times, he being less than seven years old. He well remembers hearing his parents talk of us, with appreciation, for years afterward. There were other striking reminders of the flight of time—children and grandchildren of the former acquaintances having risen to prominence.

I will say but little about my visits to South Carolina's three chief cities, interesting as they are. Unless I hasten to a close, I fear your stock of capital is may be exhausted. I traversed the waters of Charleston harbor to Fort Moultrie, sailing past Fort Sumter and Castle Pinckney. I visited the graves of John C. Calhoun and Robert Y. Hayne. At Columbia the first object to attract attention, upon entering the State Capitol, was the ordinance of Secession, done in bronze so that the shame of it can never fade. But succeeding generations will reverence it less, and ultimately all South Carolina will love those who have built up and defended our glorious Union more than those who short sightedly sought to destroy it.

A part of the trip would have been much enjoyed by Mrs. Dodge, but she had not quite regained her usual strength sufficiently to undertake it. During my absence she was happily doled in the adjoining yard at the home of my brother and sister (in law) Prof. and Mrs. Lawrence.

"He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much."

"Nor knowest thou what argument Thy life to thy neighbor's owed has lent."

"God gives every bird its food, but does not throw it into the nest."

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A FEW OF THE BARGAINS WE ARE OFFERING

Number 1. We have 5000 acres of coal and timber land in Harlan Co., Ky., eight miles from Harlan Town, on Martins Fork of Cumberland River for sale. This coal land is the finest in the state and has as much as 30 feet of coal in the hills. Veins running in thickness from 3 to 11 feet. Geological reports show that it is fine coke quality. Besides the coal proposition there are many acres of finest white oak and all kinds of timber. We can sell this land from 80 acres to 5000 in one block. Titles are absolute. Write for further particulars.

Number 2. This property is a health resort and hotel in Russell Springs, Russell Co., Ky., and consists of ten and three quarter acres. Fronting 470 feet on Main Street, three acres in original forest, and lawn. In center of lawn a mineral spring of national reputation for its health-giving properties. Three acres in pasture, balance in woodland. Frame hotel, two stories, sixteen rooms, well arranged and lighted. Cottage of eight rooms, stock barn of ten stalls and all necessary out buildings. Bicknell and Harris owns this property and it is now for sale or lease for the year 1913.

Write for prices.

Number 3. This is a business proposition in the town of Russell Springs, Russell Co., Ky. The real estate consists of a lot 40 x 80 on Main Street with a two story brick building, 25 x 60 all, well arranged and equipped with counters and shelves. Price \$4,000. Present stock of general merchandise will invoice, say about \$7,000.00. Up-to-date, clean and dependable. Can sell present stock now at ninety-five cents to the dollar, or will exchange this whole plant for a good blue grass farm near some good town and school. Volume of cash business done last year about \$16,000.

Number 4. This proposition is not so large as the other one but however is a good one. Thirteen acres level land, seven acres cleared, the rest in small timber, with young orchard, new framed five room residence, ceiled and papered thruout, with good well water in back porch. Good nine stall stock barn and all necessary out buildings. This property lays one quarter of a mile from post office, Russell Springs, and is worth \$1,500.00.

The following business and property must be sold together with property described above. This is a business house, two story frame building, 25 x 60 on a lot 40 x 80 and is the only hardware store in town. This property is worth \$900.00. Present stock of goods will invoice about \$1,000.00 and is worth 100 cents to the dollar. Good terms given.

Number 5. One two story frame business house on Main Street, Russell Springs, Russell Co., Ky. Worth \$1,400.00. Good terms.

Number 6. Farm laying two and one half miles from Russell Springs, Russell Co., Ky., containing 450 acres, 300 cleared and under fence, rest in timber. Sandy loam, clear of stones and lays rolling. Thirty acres in grass, forty in wheat, sixty acres fresh cleared, has been cultivated only two years. Four room tenement house with barns, one new framed, nine room resident building, ceiled and papered. This farm will cost you \$20.00 per acre.

Number 7. We also have residence property and building lots in the beautiful College town, Berea, Ky., for sale on reasonable terms and prices.

Number 8. Blue grass farm, in Clark Co., thirteen miles south of Lexington, containing 107 1/2 acres, well fenced, lays almost in a square, pike running thru farm. Residence and all necessary buildings in good repair, and as good blue grass land as there is in Clark Co. This farm can be had now for \$100.00 per acre. This is a great bargain. Write to us at once.

Number 9. We have some very fine boundaries of white oak, chestnut oak, poplar and other kinds of timber for sale. If interested write us.

Number 10. The best farm anywhere near Berea. Just outside of corporation, containing 100 acres, all newly fenced, and in four fields, water in each field. All kinds of fruit, best farm house in the country, good barn and out buildings. This farm can now be had for \$125.00 per acre.

If you are in the market for anything in our line, write us what you want, and we will try to please you.

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General Education for those not far advanced, combined with some vocational training. No matter what your present advancement, we can put you with others like yourself and give chance for most rapid progress.

3rd Door—Berea's General Academy Course

For those who are not expecting to teach and who are not going through College, but desire more general education. This is just the thing for those preparing for medical studies or other professions without a college course. It also gives the best general education for those who wish a good start in study and expect to carry it on by themselves.

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This gives the very best training for those who expect to teach. Courses are so arranged that young people can teach through the summer and fall and attend school through the winter and spring, thus earning money to keep right on in their course of study. Read Dinsmore's great book, "How to Teach a District School."

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This is the straight road to College—best training in Mathematics, Sciences, Languages, History and all preparatory subjects. The Academy is now Berea's largest department.

6th Door—Berea College

This is the crown of the whole institution, and provides standard courses in all advanced subjects.

Questions Answered

BEREA, FRIEND OF WORKING STUDENTS. Berea College with its affiliated schools, is not a money-making institution. It requires certain fees, but it expends many thousands of dollars each year for the benefit of its students, giving highest advantages at lowest cost, and arranging as far as possible for students to earn and save in every way.

OUR SCHOOL IS LIKE A FAMILY, with careful regulations to protect the character and reputation of the young people. Our students come from the best families and are earnest to do well and improve. For any who may be sick the College provides doctor and nurse without extra charge.

All except those with parents in Berea live in College buildings, and many assist in work of boarding hall, farm and shops, receiving valuable training, and getting pay according to the value of their labor. Except in winter it is expected that all will have a chance to earn a part of their expenses. Write to the Secretary before coming to secure employment.

PERSONAL EXPENSES for clothing, laundry, postage, books, etc., vary with different people. Berea favors plain clothing. Our climate is the best, but as students must attend classes regardless of the weather, warm wraps and underclothing, umbrellas and overcoats are necessary. THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE furnishes books, toilet articles, work uniforms, umbrellas and other necessary articles at cost.

LIVING EXPENSES are really below cost. The College asks no rent for the fine buildings in which students live, charging only enough room rent to pay for cleaning, repairs, fuel, lights, and washing of bedding and towels. For table board, without coffee or extras, \$1.35 a week, in the fall, and \$1.50 in winter. For furnished room, with fuel, lights, washing of bedding, 40 to 60 cents for each person.

SCHOOL FEES are two. First a "DOLLAR DEPOSIT," as guarantee for return of room key, library books, etc. This is paid but once, and is returned when the student departs.

Second an "INCIDENTAL FEE" to help on expenses for care of school buildings, hospital, library, etc. (Students pay nothing for tuition or services of teachers—all our instruction is a free gift) The incidental fee for most students is \$5.00 a term; in Academy and Normal \$6.00 and \$7.00 in Collegiate courses.

PAYMENT MUST BE IN ADVANCE, incidental fee and room rent by the term, board by the half term. Installments are as follows:

	WINTER TERM		
	VOCATIONAL AND FOUNDATION SCHOOLS	ACADEMY AND NORMAL	COLLEGE
Incidental Fee	\$ 5.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 7.00
Room	6.00	7.20	7.20
Board 6 weeks	9.00	9.00	9.00
Amount due January 1, 1913 . . .	\$20.00	\$22.20	\$23.20
Board for 6 weeks, due Feb. 12, . .	9.00	9.00	9.00
Total for term	\$29.00	\$31.20	\$32.20
If paid in advance	\$28.50	\$30.70	\$31.70
	SPRING TERM		
Incidental Fee	\$ 5.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 7.00
Room	4.00	5.00	5.00
Board 5 weeks	6.75	6.75	6.75
Amount due March 26, 1913 . . .	15.75	17.75	18.75
Board 5 weeks due Apr. 30, 1913 . .	6.75	6.75	6.75
Total for term	\$22.50	\$24.50	\$25.50
If paid in advance	\$22.00	\$24.00	\$25.00

*This does not include the dollar deposit nor money for books or laundry.

	Special Expenses—Business.			
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Total
Stenography and Typewriting . . .	\$14.00	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$36.00
Bookkeeping (regular course) . . .	14.00	12.00	10.00	36.00
Bookkeeping (brief course)	7.00	6.00	5.00	18.00
Business course studies for students in other departments:				
Stenography	10.50	9.00	7.50	27.00
Typewriting, with one hour's use of instrument	7.00	6.00	5.00	18.00
Com. Law, Com. Geog., Com. Arith., or Penmanship, each . . .	2.10	1.80	1.50	5.40

In no case will special Business Fees exceed \$15.00 per term.

Any able-bodied young man or young woman can get an education at Berea if there is the will to do so.

It is a great advantage to continue during winter and spring and have a full year of continuous study. Many young people waste time in the public schools going over and over the same things, when they might be improving much faster by coming to Berea and starting in on new studies with some of the best young men and women from other counties and states.

Applicants must bring or send a testimonial showing that they are above 15 years old, in good health, and of good character. This may be signed by some former Berea student or some reliable teacher or neighbor. The use of tobacco is strictly forbidden.

Spring Term opened Wednesday, March 26th. HURRY.

For information or friendly advice write to the Secretary,

D. WALTER MORTON, Berea, Ky.

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NEWS OF BERE A AND VICINITY, GATHERED FROM A VARIETY OF SOURCES

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South Bound, Local

Cincinnati 6:30 a. m. 8:15 p. m.
BEREA 12:34 p. m. 12:33 a. m.
Knoxville 7:00 p. m. 5:50 a. m.

Express Train.

No. 32 will stop at Berea to take on passengers for Dayton, O., Richmond, Ind., Indianapolis, Ind., Columbus, O., and points beyond.

South Bound.

Cincinnati 8:00 a. m.
BEREA 11:55 a. m.

No. 33 will stop to take on passengers for Atlanta and points beyond.

North Bound

BEREA 4:45 p. m.
Cincinnati 8:50 p. m.

16 per cent fertilizer is known by everybody. Sold at Welch's. (ad.)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curt Terrill, the 27th, a 15 pound boy.

Mrs. Martha Ely was called to Howard, Mo., last Tuesday on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Ely started but had to turn back, after getting as far as Indiana, on account of high water and washouts.

Five cars of fertilizer now on sale at Chrisman's. (ad.)

Miss Sarah Ely returned to Buckhorn, Wednesday.

Mr. Chas. Adams is spending a few days with friends and relatives in Berea.

Mrs. Bennett Fowler is visiting in Berea.

John Welch sold a fine lot of hogs last week for \$5.30 per hundred.

Miss Dooley Welch now occupies her new home on Chestnut St.

The highwater damaged J. C. Coyle on Prospect by washing out some of his fencing.

Rev. H. W. Elliott, State Secretary and Treasurer of the Kentucky State Board of Missions, preached at the Christian Church, Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. J. Brannaman was very seriously ill last week but is now much improved.

Special fertilizer for oats and grass, corn, tobacco or truck gardens at Chrisman's. (ad.)

The Misses Hettie Belle Brookshire and Louise Butler of Lexington were the guests of Miss Edna Early from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Haley and son of Big Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Scott Seate, Sunday.

Mr. Walter Waldron has greatly improved his residence on Parkway.

Mr. Wm. Jones is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones.

Miss Effie Bicknell has returned from Detroit, Mich.

Just arrived, a car load of the latest improved farm machinery, such as drills, harrows, planters, cultivators and plows of the James Oliver and the J. C. Case brands at Chrisman's. (ad.)

Mrs. Roy Dunn visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Robinson, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Griffith and family have moved from Boone St. to the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson on Chestnut St.

Miss Mary E. Downey, State Librarian at Columbus, Ohio, accompanied by Mrs. C. B. Galtbreath of the same place were visitors at Berea last week.

The
Racket
Store

Mrs. J. Hardette is confined to the hospital, this week, by a surgical operation. It is hoped by her many friends that she will soon recover.

HAY FOR SALE: \$12 per ton, W. A. Ogg, Berea, Ky. Phone 147-2.

A jolly crowd of students went out to Uncle Tom's Cabin, Monday, taking their lunches with them. The day was all that could have been hoped for, and a good time was reported. Prof. May, Dr. Smith and Miss Sinclair accompanied the party.

Old Hickory and Studebaker buggies, better and cheaper than ever at Chrisman's. Notes with security accepted. (ad.)

Mr. and Mrs. H. Muncy returned to Berea last Friday from a visit to their old home in Clay County. Some of their friends in Berea were uneasy about them owing to the flood situation, but, while they saw many streams that were higher than ever known, much damage that had been done to property and roads that were almost impassable, they report the trip otherwise very pleasant.

Miss Clifford E. Hunter from the Baptist Missionary Training school at Louisville was visiting Berea at the first of the week. She spoke to the Ladies Missionary Society at the Baptist church, Monday afternoon, and to the young women in Ladies Hall during Vesper hour, Monday.

Frazier carts at Chrisman's. (ad.)

Mr. H. E. Taylor has been sick for several days, but is improving.

Mr. Jas. C. Bowman and family moved, the first of the week, to the Bogie farm about one mile from town on the Big Hill pike.

Dr. Porter and Edgar Moore have purchased the Drug store on Main St. from the Berea Drug Co. They will take charge about the middle of the month.

Mr. S. T. Mitchell, traveling salesman for Swift and Co., whose headquarters are now at St. Louis, Mo., was with his many friends in town for a few days.

Mrs. Preston Cornelius is being visited a few days by her friend, Miss Eva Dreitzel of Lorain, Ohio.

Mr. Jacob H. Galtbreath of Hurley attended the funeral and burial of his brother, Green Galtbreath, on Monday of this week.

Mr. Horace Beatty of Kingston was in town the first of the week on business.

Grass seeds, plows, and wire fence at Welch's. (ad.)

Mr. J. D. Clarkston went as far as Cincinnati, Monday, and upon finding that his brother in Dayton was safe, returned home again.

Miss Hall of the College Hospital was called to Richmond, Sunday, where she will be engaged as nurse.

Mr. C. H. Porter, Jr., of Cincinnati, is visiting with his mother here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huff are the proud parents of a new baby boy since Monday night.

Mr. Jas. Warfield Adams, aged fifty-nine, of near Berea died one day last week.

Miss Roberta Johnson arrived in Berea from Pineville, Monday. She will make her home with her brother-in-law, Mr. J. P. Faulkner, for some months.

Mr. D. N. Cline was in Berea, Wednesday, on his way home to Kentucky from an extended visit in Sneedville, Andersonville, Knoxville, and other points in Tennessee.

COLLEGE ITEMS

Mr. Robin Woodruff, a student of the Academy Dept., has been spending several days at his home in Louisville. He stopped over at Lexington on his way home and saw "Hamlet."

Mr. Jules Falk, the noted violinist who so captivated the students and citizens a few weeks ago by his wonderful playing, stopped over in Berea at the end of last week and greatly delighted the students by rendering a beautiful selection at the Chapel exercises, Saturday morning.

The death of Lawrence Lisle was reported in Berea a few days ago. He was the husband of Mrs. Ruth Edwards Lisle, a former student in the Collegiate Dept. He left behind his wife, a little son only a few months old.

John Brock writes friends that he has located on a farm in Illinois but is homesick for Berea. He hopes to

President Breaks Precedents

President Wilson already has a long list of precedents, which he is credited with breaking. The first of importance was the black-eye given to the Inaugural Hall.

2. Since he shaves himself, the favored barber could be dispensed with.

3. The hunters were excluded.

4. The President is said to go to church to worship, not to be seen.

5. His aim is to encourage plain clothes, dispensing with all gold braid.

6. Motorcycle policemen to follow his automobile have been discontinued.

7. Everything that transpires in the cabinet is to be made public.

8. The Sabbath is to be observed in the White House.

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school during the spring term, but has planned to return home at the last of the week.

Dr. Emily D. Smith of Mansfield, O., stopped for a short visit with her niece, Ruth Knottlock, a student of the Academy Dept., on her way from Florida, where she has been spending the past winter.

Mr. Will Flannery of the College Farm was in Cincinnati, Sunday, in search of his brother, who was supposed to have been among those in peril during the flood. His brother, however, was safe at his home in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Hoag, who has been visiting in Berea has, to the joy of her friends, lengthened out her visit because it was impossible to return through Cincinnati during the flood.

The Sunday School at the West End is flourishing and happy, and made a very generous contribution last Sunday for the flood sufferers in Ohio.

Mr. James Vaughn and wife of Corbin are visiting their daughter in Berea this week. Their son, Frank, who made a fine record as a student here last year has not been able to return this year on account of the weakness of his eyes. He has lately engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in Corbin.

Prof. C. D. Lewis was in Frankfort this week at the Educational Conference of County Superintendents and Editors.

SILVER CREEK ITEMS

Silver Creek, Mar. 31.—People here are very busy rebuilding their fences which the high tides washed out, Tuesday night.

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DIES FROM FALL

Miss Hallie Walker, whose home is near Whites Station and who has been teaching Domestic Science in Union College for the past year, died last Sunday in Harboursville from the effects of a fall down a stairway of one of the school buildings. The immediate cause of her death was said to be cerebral hemorrhage. At the request of President Porter, a nurse was sent from the Berea Hospital.

Miss Walker was the daughter of Stephen H. Walker, a member of the Presbyterian Church and very popular. She was buried in the Richmond cemetery, Monday.

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You are, after all, an American, says the Newcomerstown (O.) News; you believe in American institutions; you decried anarchy and strive in the main to uphold American ideas. Why not seek to to promote local home trade? Why not unite with your fellow men to defeat the seemingly irresistible progress of this monopoly? Your neighbors are doing so; you, at least, will not be behind them. Perhaps it may be said of Smith, or Brown, or Jones down the road that they are miserly and close and will not join in anything for the public good, but you will not allow the same to be said of you. You desire to be always in the fore in any movement which will better your town or neighborhood. When you realize what this movement means you will certainly be one of the first to give it your support.

ORDERING AN AX BY MAIL

How the Hardware Merchant Illustrat-
ed the Disadvantages of Trading
Away From Home.

"A rather amusing story is told of a man who went into a hardware store in a neighboring town and wished to purchase an ax," says an exchange. "Being shown the article and informed that the price was \$1.10, he said, 'Why, I can get the same kind of an ax from a mail-order house for 90 cents.' 'Very well,' said the hardware man, 'I'll give it to you for the same price provided that you will do the same by me as you will do with it.' 'All right,' replied the customer as he handed over a dollar bill, the merchant giving him ten cents in change. 'Now,' said the hardware man, 'I want 25 cents more to pay express charges,' which the customer gave him. 'How much did your ax cost you?' 'One dollar and fifteen cents,' the man answered. 'Very good. Now give me five cents more for money order fees and postage,' which the customer had to hand over. 'Now how much did your ax cost you?' 'One dollar and twenty cents,' said the purchaser. 'Not so cheap after all,' said the merchant, whereupon he picked up the ax, put it back on the shelf and told the customer to call for it in ten days as that would be as soon as he could get it if he had ordered it from the mail order house."

Would Make Their Own Iron.
A recent report issued by the depart-

ment of Mines, Canada, draws attention to the possibilities of establishing a local iron industry on the coast of British Columbia. At present the cost of the portallion of manufactured iron from Great Britain and elsewhere is so heavy, and for some time past the question of local production has been often discussed. The report referred to states that although the quantity of ore in sight cannot be set down, good material, consisting largely of magnetites, is certainly available, while there is an abundant supply of fuel and fluxes at present in existence, and water transport is largely available. The estimated cost of producing a ton of iron is given as \$16, and the approximate cost at present of shipping a ton delivered at the works, Victoria, as \$21 to \$28 a ton.

Buy From Those Who Advertise.

When a store advertises it shows that it values your trade enough to ask for it, your convenience is considered to the extent of making it easy for you to know what is offered in needed goods, the store shows its willingness to go on record in its statements about its stock and service, the advertising of an article as being of a certain quality, and at a stated price is, in a sense, a contract between the seller and the prospective buyer; the prices of advertised goods must be so low that competition can not meet them; advertising increases sales, enabling the store to accept smaller profits. There are some of the reasons why you should buy from stores that advertise. There are other reasons, and although not stated, you profit by them.

Don't Knock.

Nothing is gained by knocking your competitor. The blows return as boomerangs upon your own head.

Tired Fields.

No farmer would think of working his horse continuously. He gives him Sunday off and at times even "11th" if he better let it. But you do not agree for a right smart spell. He don't look best right the last few days."

Does this same farmer watch his horses carefully as to does his horse? Does he know the looks of a tired field as well? Does he turn his tired fields out to rest for a spell?"

If a horse is thin he is rested and fed carefully. If a field is thin and tired it, too, must be rested and fed with clover, cowpeas or barnyard manure.

FARM FOR SALE

Seventy-five acres more or less. About 70 acres near Maidsen, Jackson County, Ky. One half in high state of cultivation. Balance in woods. Good timber, smooth. All under fence. 300 panels plank fence. Balance rail fence, flood new five room cottage, small barn, and store house. Good stand for general store. Good well at kitchen dock. Handy to churches and school. On public road. Mail delivered three times per week. Good neighborhood. A bargain at \$1,000 if taken at once. Address, M. C. Lock Box 263, Lawrenceburg, Ky. (ad.)

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One tract of land, seven acres, on east side of railroad in Conway, Ky. One good eight room dwelling built on modern style, known as the Hart property; finished in good style with summer kitchen, good well, good barn, good garden, good store house, 24x30 feet, and other out buildings. One good four room cottage as good as new, well finished, about fifteen young fruit trees. I will sell for \$3,250 on easy terms. For particulars call on or address me at Conway, Ky., or U. S. Wyatt, Berea, Ky. (ad.)

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THE C. E. CONVENTION

The Convention of the Christian Endeavorers of the Eighth District closed on Sunday night and was spoken of by the delegates as one of the most successful ever held in the district. The attendance was not large but the meetings were of a high order and such as to give lasting results.

All of the churches heartily co-operated in the convention thus showing the value of this society as a force for Christian unity.

The address of welcome was given by Rev. H. P. Ketch of the Christian church.

A high note was struck at the beginning of the sessions in the Christian church by the strong and practical address of Rev. Robert Simpson of Harrodsburg, setting forth the opportunities open to young people. Miss George Dunn gave an account of the Endeavor work in the prisons of Kentucky, a subject in which she is enthusiastic because she given so much of her time and energy to it and has brought Kentucky to the first place in this line of Endeavor activity.

On Saturday at the Union church Rev. J. H. Crawford of the Presbyterian church of Winchester gave a thoughtful address, on the subject "Endeavorers with Power," emphasizing the need of content with God the source of all power.

Dean C. F. Hubbard gave a forceful address showing the privilege of youth and the value of union. W. I. Jones, of Cumberland Gap, President of the Tri-State Endeavor Union spoke on "The Mountains for Christ and the Church." He gave a vivid picture of the place an Endeavor society can occupy in the quiet mountain life and told of his own experiences.

Rev. O. C. Hoad took as a theme the "Practical Holy Ghost" and gave an impressive address on the subject of service.

On Sunday afternoon, at the Baptist church, President H. H. Crossfield of Transylvania University, Lexington, gave an eloquent address on "Gifts of Christ," summarizing the world's indebtedness to Christ and the corresponding obligation to him and his work. The address was followed by an impressive consecration service led by Rev. C. S. Knight.

Much credit is due to U. E. Martin, President of the State Endeavor Union, who presided and kept the meetings strictly within time and to U. P. Evans, Field Secretary, for his helpful conferences, general oversight of details, and his interesting account of the work being done in the State and his personal experiences as he goes about from place to place.

A social held on Saturday night was largely attended and enjoyed by all.

An Endeavor rally was held in the Union church on Sunday morning with a brief but effective statement by Mr. Evans of the things which the Society stands for and an inspiring sermon by Dr. Roberts on the theme, "Young men shall see visions." Dr. Roberts was a classmate of Francis Clark, the founder of the Society, and he dwelt on the movement as one of the great discoveries of the age.

A Junior Endeavor rally was held in the Christian church in the afternoon, under the leadership of Miss Dunn, which the little folks greatly enjoyed.

The Union meeting at 8:30 on Sunday was large and enthusiastic. Seven acknowledged the Endeavor Society as the means of starting a Christian life and many more bore witness to its helpful influence.

At the Chapel exercise President Crossfield gave the closing address on "Christian Education," a fine plea for thorough preparation for life and preparation under Christian influences.

Special music added greatly to the various sessions and was highly commended by the visitors.

Our citizens entertained with true cordiality. The convention was well worth while and will long be remembered.

PUTNAM HALL

The new dormitory for Vocational Girls has proved quite a surprise in its outward and inward beauty. One catches glimpses of it from an unexpected direction and sees something really fine. The girls who live there are the happiest girls in Kentucky.

The hall was built because of sudden and terrible need last fall. President and Mrs. Frost started out to raise the money when there was not a dollar in sight, and the building was called at the time Faith Hall. This name, however, has not seemed to be the best permanent name for the building. All our buildings are faith halls in about the same way. A building to be named by such a great Bible word as Faith ought to be built of stone and roofed with tile and made to stand until the end of the world.

In seeking some other name for the building the Faculty have thought of one of our teachers, recently retired, after whom the building could be named as Gilbert Cottage when she

retired after many years of devoted work. Mrs. Kate Urner Putnam was the widow of a Union officer and came to Berea as a teacher in 1895. The first year she was Principal of the Normal Department, succeeding Mrs. Daisy Hubbard Carlock, a sister of Elbert Hubbard, who was lost to the institution that year by marriage. The next year Mrs. Yocum came to the Normal Department and Mrs. Putnam taught the A Grammar School. In 1907 she became instructor in Domestic Industry and later served in both the Normal Department and the Academy. She finally retired from active work about a year ago and is now residing with her daughter in Canada. During all these years Mrs. Putnam has been a great figure in Berea's life. Before we had a hospital she was a vigorous nurse for students who were ill. She was a favorite in teachers' institutes both in Kentucky and West Virginia, and has been a visitor in many students' homes.

Putnam is a good, historic name in America, going back to the old revolutionary general of Connecticut, and will be a pleasant word on the lips of our students. We trust Putnam Hall will stand as long as Howard Hall, and make an honorable history.

At an early day Miss Jennings is expected to invite her citizen friends to a reception at Putnam Hall.

A LITTLE TOO HASTY

In its writup of the address delivered by Captain Hobson in Chapel, the night of the 15th, The Citizen expressed regrets that no arrangement seemed to have been made to meet the speaker, and attributed the fact that Mr. Hobson did not handle his subject as well as upon the former occasion to the possible effect upon his mind of the contrast in his reception.

While we said that, "of course, this difference was not intentional on anybody's part but was simply due to a failure or hitch in the program so far unexplained," the committee felt that we should have made inquiries as to the cause before writing as we did. And we are sorry that we did not do so, for it was the fault of no member of the Committee that there was a hitch, for Prof. Lewis, having been kept away owing to sickness in his family, despatched a message by a carrier outlining complete arrangements, but the message was undelivered.

The Committee deserves great credit for the splendid entertainment it has given the College and public in general during this and previous years, and the Editor of The Citizen is very sorry that any words of his could be construed into adverse criticism.

A GENEROUS GIFT

Sunday Schools, various organizations and individuals throughout the country have been giving freely to the flood sufferers at Dayton, O., and elsewhere, but there are few gifts recorded more generous than that of the West End Sunday School of Berea. This school is under the superintendency of Mrs. Frost, and the little folks of their own accord proposed that they contribute for the relief of the sufferers, and their contribution amounted to four dollars.

This sum was sent to Mr. Switzer of the National Cash Register Company of Dayton with the wish expressed that it might be given to aid some poor family.

SOLOIER WRITES

Galveston, Tex., Mar. 19, 1913.

Dear Editor: Soon after joining the regular army I was stationed at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and was then moved to Fort Sill, Okla., where I stayed only five days, when we were ordered to the Mexican border. I can't say how long we shall stay here. We are waiting further orders and many of the boys are desiring a trip to Mexico City.

This is a fine country. Galveston is on the Gulf and we are under orders to be ready to go aboard a transport at a minute's notice. There are about five thousand of us. Many of the people of the city visit us each day and we paraded thru the streets a few days ago. The line of march was three miles long. The public schools turned out to view the parade.

I like the army very much, and it seems it would appeal to any young man who would like to travel and see a great deal of the country.

I am getting The Citizen and am very much pleased with it.

G. A. Whicker, Company E, 19th Infantry.

SEES THE OHIO FLOODS

Mr. J. H. Kerby of Berea returned Saturday from a trip to the flooded district of Ohio.

Mr. Kerby left Berea last Tuesday to visit his son in Middletown, not expecting at the time to have any trouble in reaching him, but he was

A Bloody Easter

In a stirring editorial the Pineville Sun seeks to arouse the citizens of Bell County from their apathy on the saloon question. Contrasting Bell County's Easter with what it should have been, the Sun enumerates the murders of the day — Dan Gamble, Cary; Rev. Chas. Cecil, Big Hill; Doc Aslinger, Middleboro; and Wade Herd, colored, shot and wounded at Four Mile.

All of these murders were directly due to whiskey, the Sun declares, and calls upon the County to put an end to the traffic so deeply imbedded

detained in Cincinnati for a day or two and finally reached Middletown, after a considerable detour by rail. He found his son, Mr. Heuben Kirby, safe.

Mr. Kerby tried to get into Hamilton, and even tried to get to Dayton. He tells of many harrowing scenes, and says that one who was not in the devastated district can have no conception of the ruin wrought and suffering endured by the stricken inhabitants.

A number of Berea people and a great many from the mountains have been in great distress during the past week, not being able to communicate with relatives in Hamilton, Dayton or Middletown. So far as known up to the present, however, no former Kentuckians have lost their lives.

DIES FROM BLOOD POISON

Mr. Ned Mellone, Jr., son of John Mellone, who joined his brother, Jesse, who lives near Indianapolis, Ind., leaving his home near Berea but a few weeks ago, while shaving himself cut his lip which caused blood poison from which he died in less than a week. His brother brought the body home but was held up four days with it in Indianapolis, neither being able to communicate with his wife at home nor with friends in Kentucky owing to the flood situation.

The burial took place at the Baptist burying ground at Silver Creek, Sunday, the Rev. Howard Hudson preaching the funeral.

MR. AND MRS. HUDSON ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hudson entertained the Vocational Faculty, Saturday night. There were thirty-five present, the guests being divided into groups of four, one of each group being selected to tell a story. It was a Dickens evening, the stories each being based upon the writings of the great novelist.

At the conclusion of the story telling, Pres. Frost gave a description of London, England, telling many interesting experiences of his several visits.

Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening passed.

SOTHERN AND MARLOWE

A large number of students, mostly from the Normal Department, conducted by Mrs. Dinsmore, and the Collegiate Department conducted by Prof. and Mrs. Itaine, in addition to many faculty members braved the rain Wednesday and went to Lexington to see Sothern and Marlowe in Hamlet, which was given at the Opera House, Wednesday evening.

It was quite a treat, and Mr. Sothern was received by a large and enthusiastic audience. Julia Marlowe made a beautiful Ophelia, and won the hearts of her hearers from the start.

This was the last play of the three plays given by the Sothern-Marlowe Company, but they were compelled to stay in Lexington for several days more, until the storm had subsided sufficiently to permit them to travel. The company then left for Detroit by a round about route, as the Ohio railroads are out of commission.

Seven of the girls going to Lexington last Wednesday stayed at Patterson Hall, the dormitory for ladies at Kentucky State University, at the invitation of the Dean of Women, Miss Hamilton. The girls were most cordially received by Pres. and Mrs. Barker, and were treated with the greatest consideration and hospitality by the girls of the school. Our girls enjoyed a meal in their spacious dining hall.

UNION VETERAN DIES

Mr. Green Gabbard, 71 years of age of Wallacetown, Ky., died, Sunday afternoon.

TRADE MORAL—Nobody would have known the Good Samaritan's kind act were it not for Our Saviour's parable. Be the home folks' Good Samaritan, Mr. Merchant; make this paper your commercial bible; write your own parable and put it in our advertising columns.

in Middleboro.

The Sun goes on to say that Bell County drew out of the State Treasury \$34,000 more money than she paid in last year. This was due to the fact that the state had to pay for jury service and witness fees in the trials of whiskey-made criminals. "Whiskey," asserts the Sun, "is to blame for Bell County being a pauper county."

A fight is on to rid the county and southeastern Kentucky of the curse Middleboro imposes upon them, and the Sun is a valiant leader in the fight.

His comrades took charge of the burial which took place in the Berea cemetery, Monday afternoon. His entire family have the deep sympathy of all the community.

CARE OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their sympathy and helpfulness so abundantly extended during our recent bereavement—the sickness and death of our husband and father, Mr. H. Gabbard. We appreciate fully every kindness shown.

Mrs. Mary E. Gabbard.
O. L. Gabbard.

ELY-GIBSON

Miss Emma Ely and Mr. Walter Gibson were quietly married, Wednesday, March 26th, at the home of Mrs. Martha Ely on Chestnut St.

The following were present: The Messrs. Texnn, Greenbury, Henry and Leander Gibson and Miss Alice Gibson of Winchester, Mr. Jolly Parrish, also of Winchester, Mr. Cecil Elkins of Ford, the Messrs. Dora and Sarah Ely, Mr. Crockett Ely, the Messrs. Hilda Welch and Effie Estridge and Mr. J. W. Dooley of Berea.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. Z. Spencer of Lerose, Ky.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

The Citizen is in receipt of a program for the Third Annual Meeting of the 11th Congressional District Educational Association to be held at Harboursville, April 18th and 19th.

The sessions are to be crowded with good things, the first on Friday morning being taken up largely with the taxation problem, which is to be discussed by Prof. Lewis of Berea College and the Supts. of Knox, Whitley, Bell, and Laurel Counties. Other speakers for the other sessions are Pres. Wood of Williamsburg Institute, Prof. Noe of State University, Prof. Smith of Berea College, Miss Randall and Mrs. J. C. Lewis of London, Miss Weeks of Union College, Prof. Lewis of London, and Pres. Fouts of Union College.

The program should attract many interested in the improvement of the schools of the neighboring counties.

MEETING OF ORATORICAL ASSOCIATION AT LEXINGTON

Messrs. Claude Anderson and Randolph Sellers representatives of the Phi Delta and Alpha Zeta Literary Societies of Berea College attended a meeting of the Kentucky Intercollegiate Oratorical Association held at Transylvania University at Lexington, Monday afternoon at 2:30. The principal feature of the meeting was the election of officers. A committee of two was appointed to draft a new and more practical constitution for the association.

BASKET BALL NEWS

The basketball season ended, Monday afternoon, with a close and interesting game between the Blacks and the Reds. At the end of the first

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half, the score was 16 to 15, and at the end of the game both teams were tied at 36 points each. In the play-off the Blacks scored a foul in a basket, winning the game by a score of 37 to 36. The men on both teams all played well. J. H. Parker of the Normal team scored the most points for the Blacks, making 20 of their 37 points.

The line-up was as follows:

Blacks:
Joas, Center.
Parker, Coney, Forwards.
Batson, Douglas, Guards.
Reds:
Hembree, Center.
Bowman, Kerr, Forwards.
MacGregor, Bingham, Nantz, Gs.

A MONTH HENCE

April 30, May 1, 2 and 3 should be red letter days in the educational life of the State. The Louisville meeting of the Kentucky Educational Association will be held on these dates with many of the most notable educators of the land on the program.

ENCOURAGING OPENING OF SPRING TERM

The Spring Term opened without special confusion on Wednesday, Mar. 26th. The high tides in many parts of the mountains delayed the incoming new students, but there were about sixty more on hand than at the opening of the Spring Term a year ago. As the waters subside new students are coming in daily.

In many ways the Spring Term is the most important and interesting of the year. Special arrangements are being made to help those who are preparing for teachers' examinations, "express courses" arranged for the far boys who can stay only a part of the term, as well as for teachers who have to leave before commencement and secure their schools.

The public exercises and entertainments of the Spring Term, together with the outdoor sports, make it a joyful season. And at this time of the year we become aware of a large number of students who are drawing near the end of their long course of study. The Spring term is the "Seniors' Term." We shall be specially prizing the friendship and fellowship of those students who are preparing to graduate. The classes this year are very large and Commencement, June 4th, will be "the biggest day ever."

CONTEST TO BE HELD IN BERA

The State Intercollegiate Oratorical contest of the Kentucky Prohibition Association is to be held in Berea, at the College Chapel, April 21, 1913.

The representative of Berea took first place last year. Our representative this year is Mr. Randolph Sellers from whom we expect no less.

UTILE DULCE'S ANNIVERSARY

The program given by the Utile Dulce Literary Society in the Chapel, Tuesday evening, attracted a good audience. Owing to the fact that the upper chapel was used, admission was by ticket but the hall was filled.

The program was in two parts, the first consisting of a reading, an original story, an autobiography and a solo. The second part of the program was a tableau reproduction of Tennyson's "Dream of Fair Women." The tableau was very good, but owing partly to the nature of the hall the reading could not be heard, especially by those back of the middle of the hall. For this reason it may be said that the first part of the program was the more interesting, for each number was distinctly heard and generously applauded by the audience.

NUGGETS

The man who repents on a sick bed, from which he recovers, generally backslides before he pays his doctor's bill.

There are men who have a creed, a rod long, who do business with a short yard.

If there is any of the hog in a man, the bristles will begin to show when he travels.

Every man in a brass band thinks his horn makes the best music.

Undertake to prove there is no hell and every mean man will throw up his hat.

UNITED STATES NEWS

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the National Cash Register Company, who is under sentence in the United States District Court for violating the Sherman Anti-Trust Law.

Mr. Patterson's benefactions and his recent heroic work in rescuing the flood sufferers of Dayton has given rise to the movement in his behalf. The court inflicted a jail sentence upon him.

FAST TRAIN WRECKED

Three "Buffalo Express," of the New York Central Railroad was derailed near Fond, N. Y., Sunday. Eight coaches were thrown into the Mohawk river. Although well filled with water, only seven passengers were injured.

LIAS FOUND HIS MAN

President Wilson has at last found some one who is willing to take up the burdens and expenses of the Ambassadorship to the Court of St. James. Walter H. Page, of Island City, Long Island, editor of World's Work, and member of Doubleday, Page and Co., has accepted the President's offer, it is said.

AT IT AGAIN

A number of the members of the Legislature of Tennessee are reported to be in Middleboro for an indefinite stay. The Tennessee solons have a way of skipping the state when a law is likely to be passed that some of them oppose, and that only can be defeated by breaking a quorum.

The object of this exit from Nashville is to prevent the passage of an election law.



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John returned to his chair. Murchell looked around at the dingy office. Over the desk hung a calendar and another faded, old fashioned print of Daniel Webster. Save for this adornment the walls were given over to calf and sheep bound books—rows and rows set upon plain pine shelves. The old mahogany furniture, doubtless splendid in its day, had been battered and scratched by many careless hands and feet.

"You keep the old office just the same, I see. I remember when your grandfather built and furnished it."

"Yes; I don't like to disturb things, though Aunt Roberta thinks it's a fearful mess. Three generations of Dunmeades have used this office just as it is."

"I used to come here to borrow books from your grandfather and talk politics. He was a mighty smart man. He would have been governor during the war if he hadn't died. He gave me my start."

"Yes," John said idly. "Senator"—he leaned forward abruptly—"what do you think of Sheehan? Why don't you, with all your power, put men like Sheehan out of politics?"

"Young man," Murchell answered dryly, "if I were strong enough to put all the rascals out of politics I'd make the Almighty jealous. Are you going to take the nomination?"

"I hate to be under obligations to Sheehan."

"You won't be under obligations—to Sheehan."

"I don't want to be under obligations"—John hesitated a moment—"to you. Something might come up that would make me seem ungrateful."

"I'll risk it."

"But I'm not sure I'm the kind of man you want."

"I'll risk it," Murchell repeated.

"But I don't think you understand," John persisted. "I've been—bothered a little lately about some things. That trust company affair, for instance—it doesn't look right. And then Sheehan—I can't quite stomach his power. I don't like to seem to criticize, senator, but it looks to me as though the system that allowed that trust company affair must be wrong somewhere."

"Tut, tut, young man!" the senator answered, a trifle testily. "Don't go flying off at a tangent with bareheaded theories about perfect systems!"

John shook his head in troubled fashion. "I've got to figure that out in my own way, senator."

Murchell looked out of the window into the square thoughtfully. It was a warm, listless day. There was nothing in the peaceful, indolent scene to tell him that the serene waters upon which he had sailed to power were to become a seething, passion lashed fury whose subsidence he would never see. He knew only that the people, even—said example of the ingratitude of republics! the people of Benton county, were stirring restlessly, asking question and criticism, and that would pass, as such ebullitions had always passed.

He pointed to the sleepy square. "You won't want to sit here looking out at that all your life. If you're the man I take you for. You'll want to go out and make your place—a big place—in the life of men. If you do you can't stop to hit every ugly head that pops up in your path. And you've got to make use of the materials you find. Leave the things that don't look right alone. They'll work themselves out in the end. They always have. And be impudent. Make use of enemies and friends alike."

Counsel to Laertes from an expert in life!

"Even your friendship?" John interrupted quickly, smiling.

"You'd be a fool if you didn't," Polonius replied consistently.

"I'm afraid," John sighed—"I'm afraid I'm that kind of fool. I suppose," he went on, "I'm going to take the nomination. I do want to make a place for myself in the big life of men. But I want to earn it, not seize it because I am strong enough or have it given to me by some other who is strong."

He hesitated, then continued: "It sounds absurd, I know, but something seems compelling me into this. And I'm—I'm afraid. I have the feeling that I am facing something to which I perhaps may not be equal. Senator Murchell, I ask you to tell me truly, is there any reason why a man who wants to come through clean should not go into politics?"

"Absolutely none," the senator answered promptly. And he added sincerely, with a perturbation the scope of which he did not comprehend, "If there were more clean men in politics there would be less room for the rascals."

So William Murchell, as he thought, bound his young friend, John Dunmeade, to the wheels of his organization.

News travels swiftly and by mysterious avenues in New Chelsea. That evening at supper Judge Dunmeade congratulated his son.

"I am glad," he said pompously, "that you have entered the service of your party."

Miss Roberta, the Judge's sister, sniffed disdainfully. "Does that mean you're going to hit every ugly head that pops up?"

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"I've got to. I don't want to go all my life as I have done, drudging along for a little money, drying up in the routine, my outlook narrowing. I'd have nothing to show in justification of my living. Why, I'd be no better than Warren Blake, Aunt Roberta."

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"Warren Blake walked home from church with Katherine," she remarked significantly.

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"I heard the stir when she came in; but, strange to relate, I was more interested in the service, and I forgot to look her up after church."

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Judge aspired to end his days on the supreme bench of the state.

He treated the life to the silence it deserved, and Miss Roberta, who did not ignore the value of the last word in a tilt, triumphantly rose from the table and left the room. Hugh Dunmeade was held by his neighbors and hitherto had been accounted by his son a good man, a just judge and an exemplary citizen. His dicta, judicial and private, carried great weight in the community. And he seemed troubled by no questions of—not having formulated the disturbing doubt, John called it propriety.

"I hope," Judge Dunmeade continued, "you aren't falling into your aunt's habit of taking a gift horse in the mouth."

"Then it—this nomination—will be a gift from Murchell?"

"You couldn't have it otherwise."

"And you see nothing wrong in that?"

"I myself should be glad to have his support for any office I might seek." The Judge regarded this answer as sufficient. "I'm glad you have it. It shows his friendship for us continues. And," he cleared his throat significantly, "it augurs well for other honors to whom our family."

Two little crosses settled between John's eyes.

Miss Roberta was a vigorous splinter of sixty whose emerald tongue tried, not always successfully, to hide the kindly impulses of her heart. She was a lady of many violent dislikes and a few equally violent friendships.

Later in the evening she found John alone on the western porch staring up into the sky. The prophesy of the morning's red sunrise was about to be fulfilled: It was evident that a storm was brewing.

"Steve Hampden," Miss Roberta remarked in a carefully casual tone, "is home. And Katherine," she added, "Yes?" negligently.

"You go and call on her. Go tonight."

"Can't I have?" he yawned "an appointment with the sundown? I didn't sleep much last night. Won't she keep? She seemed healthy enough the last time I saw her. Regular little red headed tomboy, she was."

"She mightn't stay long," Miss Roberta's tone implied that this contingency would be little short of calamitous. "And Warren Blake is dancing after her already."

"Dear Aunt Roberta, Warren never in his life did anything so frivolous as dancing. Why are you in such a hurry to have me fall in love?"

"I don't want you to grow old and crabbed and—lonesome—like me."

"Why—why, Aunt Roberta, I didn't know you felt that way. You mustn't, you know," he said gravely, and patted her hand affectionately, from which unwonted demonstration she hastily snatched it away.

He laughed. "There's time enough for mating anyhow. I'm only thirty; and, besides, what could I offer a girl, even if I were so reckless as to fall in love?"

"Yourself," Miss Roberta could not entirely repress a hint of pride.

"Those spectacles you're always losing must be rose colored. I'd want to offer something more than myself. Aunt Roberta, something of achievement that would prove my worth. I couldn't love a woman who could care for a little, futile man. When I've done something, then—"

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He could never repress a smile when he saw the Hampden place. Almost within the span of his memory its evolution—it was always called a "place"—keeping pace with its owner's fortune, had been wrought. The first house on that site had been a five room frame cottage, built just before the war when Stephen Hampden was manager of the Dunmeade mills. It is said that he laid the foundation of his fortune in a certain contract for army horseshoes. In the seventies, being then owner of Plumville's largest iron foundry, he inaugurated the custom of returning to New Chelsea for the hot months. The little cottage was torn down. In its place was reared a red brick house, liberally adorned with turrets and scroll work in the style of that period.

The foundry grew—even outgrew its owner, whose taste, if not his talents, ran to speculation rather than to production. He sold out and went to the Steel city to pursue fortune via the bourse and the real estate market. In these days New Chelsea saw him and his family only semioccasionally. The house with the turrets had attained the dignity of a "country place." Then New Chelsea heard that Steve Hampden had been admitted into the enviable and exclusive circle of millionaires. With wealth and travel came taste. The "country house" was remodeled. The turrets were razed; wings were added to the house; the iron picket fence was removed and a hedge planted in its stead. Not all the architect's devices could make of the house a thing of beauty, so Ivy was planted and trained to enshroud its naked ugliness. A few years with nature, assisted by the English gardeners, and the transformation was complete.

But not enough, for New Chelsea knew of another structure in course of erection on the crest of East Ridge, to be the "palatial residence," as the Globe took pleasure in reporting, "of our fellow citizen, Stephen Hampden, who it is hoped will be often in our midst."

CHAPTER III.

Sunset.

Butler answered John's ring and on inquiry informed him that the ladies of the Hampden family were not at home.

"Will you wait, sir?"

"No." And John turned away. He walked out into the country across the bridge at the confluence of North Branch and South Branch, where rises Grant's Knob. He followed the path that leads, corkscrew fashion, to the crest of the knob, and there, in the thick of the shade of a big walnut, leaning against an old bowlder that had crowned the knob longer than John could remember, sat the object of his quest.

He had an instant to look at her before she observed him, and suitably he averted himself of it. And very charming, very alluring she was to his eyes in her light summery gown and the big, soft leopon hat with its flowers and leaves dancing in the breeze. An open book lay in her lap, but she was not reading. Through half closed eyes she was gazing dreamily at the hills that marched away into the blue distance.

He took a step toward her. She heard him and looked up.

"Hello," he said.

"Good afternoon." Her salutation was very cool indeed.

"Of course if you don't want me to stay."

"It isn't my hill."

He laughed outright. "Her tactics never vary, it seems," he remarked. "Effective, though. Queer, isn't it, how attractive a girl becomes when she puts on that fright, speak to me if you dare manner?"

"You were very stupid not to know me the other day."

"But I remembered you."

"You mean you forgot all about me."

"—as an impudent, long legged, freckled tomboy with red hair while you—"

He paused deliberately.

"My hair was never red," she replied coldly.

Suddenly the clouds broke away. She returned to him with a laugh. "Oh, I can't keep it up. But where did you get your courage? You weren't nearly so brave the other morning. I've been here six days. Why haven't you come to see me?" she demanded.

"Well, you see," he began lamely to explain, "I've had a good many important things to think about and—"

"And I was neither important nor interesting. You need practice, I see."

"But you are."

"You really find me interesting? You know, I've worked hard, very hard, to earn the involuntary, generous compliment I am about to receive."

"I do—surprisingly so," he responded promptly.

"You needn't be so surprised," she retorted. "I was always rather presentable in spite of the freckles, only you wouldn't condescend to notice it. You didn't like me."

"But you were such a pesky little nuisance, you know. Let me see," he added reflectively, "that was—yes, it's been ten years since I last saw you. Not counting the other morning, of course."

"No, eight," she corrected him. "You saw me after the big game, the time you saved the day. You walked right by me, looking straight into my eyes, and never recognized me. You were too anxious to reach Adele Whittington and be made a hero of by her. She was as proud as—as I'd have been if I'd had the chance to exhibit you."

"How is Adele?"

"Oh, she's drearily thirty, is fighting down a tendency to fat, has begun to paint and often asks about you. Are you still in love with her? And am I a cut to talk so about her? And has she had many successes?"

"No in all three questions. She gave me a lead three months, though."

"I'm glad of it," she declared vengefully. "Didn't you know I was terribly in love with you? That's what made me such a pesky little nuisance. If you needn't look so shocked since it was only calf love and I have quite recovered. Quite!"

So while the golden afternoon waned they exchanged pleasant nonsense. His spirits rose unaccountably. He was very boyish, very gay. Sometimes they rose to half serious discussion that skipped lightly and audaciously about from peak to peak of human knowledge. She had traveled much with her father, who, it appeared, had "really learned how to travel," having to make the most of his limited leisure. She knew places not starred in Baedeker—quiet, obscure corners of the earth, full of color. John helped out this part of the talk with questions more or less intelligent. She was pleased to comment his interest.

"One could almost believe you had been there. You would enjoy these places, I know. Not every one does. I'd love to visit, not do, them with you sometime."

"I'd like to very much. But," he answered simply, "I'm afraid it will be a long, long time before I can afford it."

She turned and surveyed him thoughtfully. "Now, I like that—the way you said it. I mean. You speak of it in such a matter of fact way, as though the lack or possession of money were really of no great importance to you."

"It slipped out," he confessed. "I don't like to seem to pose. I make enough for my immediate needs, of course, and some day I expect to have more, though not wealth as you probably measure it."

"I'm not sure whether it is really important to me. I do not like the things it buys. But even more I like to think of the power it represents. It's that and the game of getting it that makes men want money in large quantities. Don't you think so?"

He remembered certain rumors he had heard concerning Stephen Hampden's rise to wealth and he put a guard upon his lips.

"I don't know much about it, I fear," while he was entirely true. "After college I went to law school, then settled here. The family name and father's being a judge helped me to a quick start, I suppose. Since then I have done about as well as the average young lawyer in a small town. That's all. It is very commonplace."

"That doesn't explain why you are wanted by a whole county. It's your chance to escape the commonplace, isn't it? Popularly means power and power is splendid always—I'm primitive, you see. I would use it, revel in it, make it lift me into the high places. I'd say every one believes you have a big future. Which is good evidence that you have a big future, isn't it?"

"The wisdom of twenty-three," he laughed.

"Oh, you won't take me seriously! Dad says I have the most intrusively executive mind he ever met. He is very nice about it. He often asks me what I think of things and men."

"And then forms his own opinions?"

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HOME COURSE IN SCIENTIFIC AGRICULTURE

SECOND ARTICLE — THE LIMING OF SOILS.

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THE recognition of the agricultural value of certain forms of lime is not new, and it appears from the writings of Pliny that liming was practiced by the Romans more than 2,000 years ago. In England, Germany, France and other European countries the application of lime in various forms has been and is still practiced extensively, but, as Roberts states, probably 90 per cent of the arable soil of the United States has never been limed, and indeed many large areas are not in need of it.

Authorities seem to agree that lime is necessary to the plant, and if it is wholly lacking in soils, even though an



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DISCARDED CARROT PLANT — MUCH LESS
ABLE TO GROW IN FIELD TREATED WITH
LIME.

abundance of all the other essential elements is present, the plant cannot develop normally. The plant cannot grow if any one of the essential elements of plant food is lacking. Fortunately, however, many soils are well provided with lime by nature, and it is seldom or never necessary for those who cultivate them to resort to liming.

The method usually resorted to for ascertaining the amount of lime in soils is to treat them with some strong mineral acid (usually hydrochloric) and determine the amount of lime which is thus dissolved. Some writers state that if only one-half of 1 per cent is thus shown to be present immediate resort to liming is desirable; others set the amount higher, and some seem to prefer to have present as much as 1 per cent.

The fact that beets of all kinds make a ready response to liming on soils which are deficient in carbonate of lime may be utilized as the basis for a practical and reliable method of testing the lime requirements of the soil. For this purpose lay out two plots of land, each about 12 by 20 feet, measure each of the plots with like amounts of a fertilizer containing potash, phosphoric acid and nitrogen and apply lime to one of the plots at the rate of from one to two and a half tons per acre (forty pounds per plot would be approximately two and a half tons per acre). A comparison of the growth and yields on the two plots will furnish a safe means of judging whether the soil will respond profitably to applications of lime.

Liming Sometimes Injurious.

Excessive amounts of lime, especially on light soils, may have an injurious action. This is particularly true of freshly slaked lime and of ground limestone upon light sandy soils, which are inclined to be dry and which contain only small amounts of organic matter. It hastens unduly the decomposition of organic matter and thus renders the soil more open and less retentive of fertilizers and moisture than before. If either ground burned lime or slaked lime must be used upon such soils it should be applied in small amounts at not too frequent intervals.

The arguments in favor of the use of lime are summarized thus:

The use of lime as a soil improver is very ancient, and its value for this purpose is generally recognized. Its action as a fertilizer is both direct and indirect.

There are many soils in which lime is deficient, notably such as are derived from granite, mica schist and certain sandstones, slates and shales. On such soils lime is often of direct value in supplying a necessary element of plant food.

Indirect Value of Lime.

The indirect value of lime is perhaps more important than its direct action, because probably the majority of cultivated soils contain sufficient lime to meet the direct demands of plants for food. Lime is of indirect value in un-

locking the unavailable potash, phosphoric acid and nitrogen in the soil. Lime exerts a decided influence on the mechanical condition of soils, rendering heavy compact soils looser in texture and tending to bind particles of loose, leachy soils.

Lime is also beneficial in furnishing conditions in the soil favorable to the activity of the micro-organisms which convert the nitrogen of organic matter into nitrates which are readily assimilated by plants which decompose organic matter and which assist certain leguminous plants to assimilate the free nitrogen of the air.

One form of lime (gypsum) has been shown to be a most effective corrector of black alkali.

The continued use of lime unaccompanied by other fertilizers may prove injurious, especially on poor soils, since it converts the insoluble nitrogen, potash and phosphoric acid compounds of the soil into such as can be rapidly taken up by plants or washed out in the drainage, thus hastening the exhaustion of the supply of these substances in the soil. As the German edgates states, "The use of lime without manure makes both farm and farmer poor."

Behavior Toward Lime.

It has been shown that even upon many upland and naturally well drained soils, apparently in good condition otherwise, the sourness (acidity) is so great that most varieties of plants will not thrive. Lime is the most economical and effective substance thus far used for correcting this condition. According to experiments made by the Rhode Island agricultural experiment station on acid soils in that state, the plants tested may be classified with regard to their behavior toward lime as follows: Plants benefited by liming, spinach, lettuce, fall kinds, beets (all kinds), okra, cucumber, radish (egg, stable, oyster), celery, onion, parsnip, cauliflower, cucumber, eggplant, cauliflower, asparagus, kohlrabi, cabbage, dandelion, Swedish turnip, pepper, pea, English or flat turnip, upland cress (peppercress), marjoram, rhubarb, common pea, pumpkin, summer squash (scalloped), golden wax bean, red Valentine bean, horticultural pole bean, bush lima bean, lentil, Hubbard squash, salsitash, hemp, tobacco, sorghum, alfalfa, clover, red, white, crimson and Alaska barley, summer, wheat, oats, timothy, Kentucky blue grass, Canada pea, Cuthbert raspberry, gooseberry, currant (white, purple), orange, quince, cherry and Burbank Japan plum; plants but little benefited by liming, Indian corn, spurry (it has been reported in England that spurry is injured by liming, but such results have not been obtained in Rhode Island); rye, carrot, chileory, Rhode Island lent and red-top; plants slightly injured by liming, cotton, tomato, cowpea, drumhead, Concord grape, peach, apple and pear; plants distinctly injured by liming, lupine, common sorrel (Rumex acetosella), radish, velvet bean, castor bean, flax, blackberry, black cap raspberry and cranberry.

Frequency of Liming.

The frequency with which liming should be practiced depends, among other things, upon the character of the soil and the rate of application, the number of years involved in the rotation practiced, the plants grown and their order of succession. As a general rule, it may be stated that from one-half to one and one-half tons of lime per acre every five or six years is sufficient. Applications of two or three tons may, however, be advisable in cases of very acid soils which are to be seeded down and are to remain in grass for several years. The practice of applying small amounts of lime at somewhat frequent intervals is being generally accepted as preferable to the use of large amounts at rare intervals.

Lime combined as carbonate, as in marl, wood ashes, etc., can usually be applied with safety in the spring or at any other season of the year, but an autumn is always the safest time to apply caustic or slaked lime. It is gen-



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WASTEFUL METHOD OF STORING MANURE

erally considered best to apply the lime to the soil immediately after plowing and harrow it in thoroughly. Lime which is already slaked may be spread upon the soil directly from wagons or carts or dumped into heaps and then spread with a shovel, although the most satisfactory plan in such cases is to use a lime spreader or ordinary grain drill with a fertilizer attachment. Where a lime spreader or similar implement is not available the burnt lime may be placed on the soil in piles of from forty to fifty pounds each, covered with moist earth and allowed to slake before being spread with a shovel.

In conclusion, it may be said, ascertain first whether lime is needed. If it is apply it judiciously, and never depend upon lime alone to maintain the fertility of the soil, for all of the ingredients which plants need must be present in the soil to insure the profitable production of crops.

INTENSIVE FARMING

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CODLING MOTH

Of all the insects that infest and prey upon the apple none is causing greater loss and damage than the codling moth, more familiarly known as the "apple worm." The actual loss sustained by Kentucky fruit growers is hardly appreciated, as most of the wormy fruit drops off prematurely, and is not observed, but it is safe to say that over fifty per cent of all the apples raised in the state are infested with the larvae of the codling moth.

The mature insect belongs to a class of insects commonly known as millers. The moth is grayish brown in appearance and usually flies at night about the time the young fruit is forming. The female deposits her eggs singly at the calyx end of the fruit and on the nearby leaves and branches. The individual egg upon the leaf or fruit looks very much like a small white blister and is smaller than the head of a pin. The number of eggs laid by a single female ranges from sixty to seventy. The eggs hatch in from five to ten days after they are laid. As soon as the worm hatches it crawls to the nearest apple and usually enters its way in through the calyx or blossom end. After remaining in the apple from twenty to twenty-five days the worm cuts its way out through the side of the apple and builds a cocoon under a loose strip of bark or crevice in the trunk.

In order to control this insect it is best to spray just after the blossoms drop and before the calyx cup closes. If the spraying is put off, the calyx cup closes and it becomes impossible to deposit any poison within it. The calyx cup remains open from seven to ten days after the blossoms fall and the spray may be applied during this time. An effort should be made to spray immediately after the petals fall and not wait, as bad weather may hinder one from spraying later on.

Arsenate of lead and Paris green are practically the only poisons used in controlling the codling moth. Arsenate of lead is safer to use because of its superior adhesion and because it is not as liable to burn the foliage. To get the best results one should use three pounds of arsenate of lead to fifty gallons of water. Paris green should be used at the rate of five to

eight ounces to fifty gallons of water. Where the poisons are used alone two pounds of lime should be added in order to avoid danger of burning the foliage. Paris green or arsenate of lead should preferably be mixed with lime-sulphur or with Bordeaux and so applied. If this is done it will save an extra spraying that is necessary in order to keep fungus diseases such as apple crab, bitter rot, etc., in control.

To get the best results it may be necessary to make a second application from ten days to two weeks later and for the second brood from the middle of July to the first of August. These sprayings are important.

Care should be taken to cover the tree in a thorough manner. Try to place a particle of the poisoned spray in the open calyx cup of every apple. To prevent further appearance of the codling moth fallen fruit should be destroyed, either by gathering or by allowing hogs to run in the orchard. Detailed information will be furnished free by the Extension Division of the Experiment Station. Correspondence is invited.

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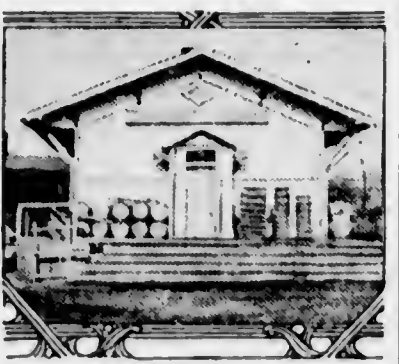
The Friendly Oak Tree.

Whether its branches show green against a dark blue sky—gold where the sunlight touches them—whether its leaves show unguents in the light of the setting sun or black and silver in the moonlight, there is no tree of them all to compare with the oak. All a summer's day you may lie stretched beneath it, so strong and so friendly, not to you only, but to all the little lives that swarm about its roots. All kinds of busy creatures, ants, spiders, daddy longlegs, beloved of your child's blood, go scurrying over you on this strand and that, as unafraid, almost, as if you were dead. A feeling of kinship comes to you: a knowledge that all this life about you in oak and grass and insect and the good dog lying at your feet is but a little part of the ageless flux and reflux, soothingly as a cool hand on an aching head there comes to you the realization that soon your limbs and bones together, your tired body shall rest under the trees all the days and all the nights—At last! At last!

territory. In the future our success in organization and cooperation among farmers, gardeners and fruit growers will lie in better schools, in better teachers, wide awake ministers and a closer community life.

Versailles is finishing a successful year in co-operative work with its Farmers' Union Supply Company. Last summer 119 farmers and stockmen took stock in the company and its success was almost immediate. As the stockholders in this company are largely growers of barley, tobacco and raisers of blooded stock it will be seen that the union can do very little as a selling agent. The main work of the past year has been as a buying agent; and in this particular line it has been a great success.

The first year's buying business will amount to about \$45,000. Large amounts of wire fencing, field seeds, farm machinery, paint and coal have been bought both from jobbers and wholesale men. The first year's business has been good enough for the members of the union to receive a per-



OFFICE UNION SUPPLY COMPANY.

cent on their stock and also obtain a rebate of 5 per cent upon all purchases made through the union.

A new mill has just been completed and will soon be in operation. This will take care of the grain grown by the members of the union and enable them to buy their mill feed at quite reasonable figures.

Education in co-operation will mean better roads, better schools, better trustees, better tax laws, better men and women everywhere in the highways and byways of our rural Kentucky.

TO RALLY IN LOUISVILLE.

If never there, you ought to go.

If ever there, you'll want to go.

During the Kentucky Educational association meeting, April 30, May 1, 2 and 3, Louisville will be overflowing with teachers, trustees and friends of the schools. The people of the big cities are watching the rural school problem with great interest. Louisville was among the first to strive to help in its solution.

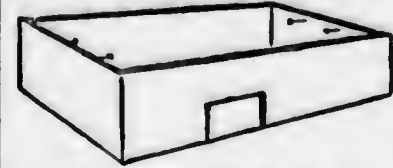
GET TOGETHER FOR A BIGGER AND BETTER STATE.



FATTEN CHICKS FOR MARKET

Arizona Woman Has Much Success
With Coop Covered With Wire
Netting—Ration Used.

I am having great success in fattening my overstock of chick cockerels for hotel and restaurant trade, writes Mrs. Almo of Roswell, N. M., in the Farmers' Mail and Breeder. My feeding coop shown in the drawing has a solid floor of matched boards, covered with an inch of road grit. The top is covered with poultry netting, over which a solid roof is hinged, which may be raised on warm days. The front and



Coop for Market Feeding.

weat end are covered with wire netting. The roosts are in the west end of the coop. The feed drawer is covered with two-inch mesh wire netting and one feeding a week will do. I feed the following mixture for fattening: One quart each, alfalfa meal, corn chop and bran, and one pint meat scraps. This way of feeding saves both time and feed and I now make money where I lost money before with ordinary care. Besides my own stock, I buy chicks of the quick-growing breeds to fatten.

GERMAN EGG-LAYING TESTS

Results Given of Experiments Made
to Determine Effect of Various
Meat Meals on Poultry.

Tests were made a short time since in Germany to determine the effect of different meat meals on poultry. During these experiments it was found that the egg production ceased earlier than with normal hens. Fish meal was more favorable for egg production than meat meal. The eggs were of poorer flavor than normal eggs, and could not be preserved in the usual way.

The meat meal increased the intensity of the yellow color of the yolk. The flesh of the birds fed meat meal was normal as regards taste and odor, though slightly changed in color, melting point and fat, but lower than normal with fish meal. When fed cadaver meal the flesh of the fowl had a rancid taste, and whenever fed tuberculous beef did not cause tuberculous in the hens.

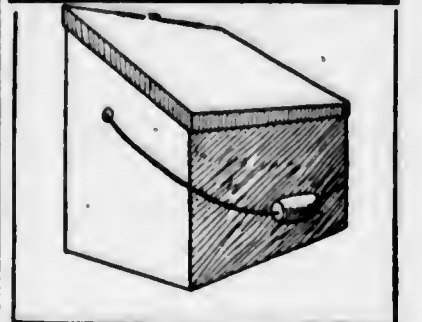


of BOURBON POULTRY take down a chick's throat every day. A few drops in the drinking water cures and prevents cholera, diarrhea and other chick diseases. One 50c bottle makes 12 gallons of medicine. At all drug stores. Sample and booklet on "Diseases of Poultry" sent FREE. Bourbon Remedy Co., Lexington, Ky.

FEED SUPPLY CAN IS USEFUL

Galvanized Receptacle, as Shown in
Illustration, Affords Protection
From Rodents.

Where one keeps much feed in the poultry house and wishes to protect it from rats and mice a can, such as is shown in the illustration, is the best device. This is made of galvanized iron 18 1/4 inches high at the back, 13 inches in front, 9 inches deep and 11 inches wide. It will hold 25 pounds of



A Feed Supply Can.

whole grain. There should be a heavy ball on each can, so that it may be carried easily, and to hang it up by. There should be at least one can for each poultry house. This avoids the necessity of carrying a measure of feed around when gathering the eggs.



Keep something in the grit box. Poultry keeping is business of quick profits.

Suggestions of fall weather are reviving egg prices. Plovers up runs and yards is a seasonable job any time.

All the milk they will consume is a help to the molting hens.

Corn makes fat and heat. Oats, wheat, bran and middlings make eggs. Not a bit of decayed food of any kind ever ought to be given a hen or chick.

Too many birds in a house simply can not do so well as they would otherwise.

Before the roads get frozen, scrape up some dust for winter use. Put it in a dry place.

Ten hens that have room according to their strength will bring in more money than fifteen crowded.

When we get a good many chicks on hand there is a temptation to crowd them during the winter season.

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Save half the cost of your fruit trees and order by mail.

Cut out the Agent's profit and send for particulars at once. I have a large supply of one and two year old whole-root grafted trees true to name and all kinds of nursery stock for sale this spring at very low prices.

G. D. Smith,
Richmond, Ky.

All are needed by each one; Nothing is fair or good alone.—Emerson.

Our anger and impatience often prove much more mischievous than the things about which we are angry or impatient.—Marcus Aurelius.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

For Representative

We are authorized to announce W. R. Reynolds of Jackson County as a candidate for Representative from the Counties of Jackson, Owsley and Clay before the Republican voters at the August Primary 1913. Your votes are respectfully solicited. (ad)

COMMENDS MR. REYNOLDS

The Citizen is publishing the announcement of W. R. Reynolds of Tyner, Jackson County, as a candidate for Representative from the Counties of Jackson, Owsley and Clay, subject to the action of the Republicans of the District.

I wish to say that Mr. Reynolds is an enthusiastic Republican, never scratched the ticket in his life. He is well qualified to make the District a good representation. He is one of the best farmers in the District. It was his son that raised 135 bushels of corn on one acre last year and Mr. Reynolds won several premiums in the State Corn Show on his farm products. He is for the advancement of the mountains and believes the farmers need more aid from the State and National Bureaus of Agriculture and will work to that end if elected. He believes the rural school term should be lengthened for the benefit of the poor boys and girls of the mountains. If Mr. Reynolds is elected the District will have a consistent worker and the farmers a true and tried friend and the writer believes he will be elected by a big majority, as the people and especially the farmers are all of one mind for him.

J. B. Scott, Vincent, Ky.

JACKSON COUNTY

McKEE

McKee, Mar. 31.—Circuit Court has been in session here since the 24th.—There was a large tide in the creeks here last week, but it did not do much damage.—Lawyer W. E. Begley of London was in town last week.—Lawyer G. I. Rader of Annette is attending Circuit Court.—T. J. Coyle, of Berea, was in town last week.—Charley Baker, of London, was here a few days last week.—H. E. Minter, of Lawrenceburg, was in town last week on business.—A. J. Hamilton has been in town for several days doing dental work.—A large crowd from this place attended church at the Sparks school house last Sunday.—Delbert York of Annette visited Mr. Charley Laihart a few days recently.

CLOVER BOTTOM

Clover Bottom, Mar. 31.—Grover and Almer Hunter of Red Lick visited Lucy Dean, Saturday and Sunday.—A rain storm last Tuesday night did much damage to the people in this vicinity. It was followed by some snow and a freeze which killed the peaches and pears.—Dudley Hicknell who has been making his home at Frankfort for the past three years is visiting his kinsfolk here.—H. N. Dean, candidate for County Attorney, was in McKee last week.—G. E. Hays attended court at McKee last week.—M. G. Cruse has purchased a horse from W. Lakos.—Leslie Howling has

moved from Berea to the property vacated by Jim Hine.

ROCKCASTLE

Double Lick, Mar. 29.—There was a large tide in Horse Lick, Wednesday night.—George Gatloff bought a farm near Goochland and moved to it last Wednesday.—The Misses Stella and Flora Sparks, who are in school at Berea visited at home, Saturday.—Robert Callahan and Chas. Gabbard of Hurley were visiting friends at this place from Friday until Sunday.—Mrs. Ellen Callahan spent Sunday with Mrs. Katherine McCollum.—Mr. Lawrence Powell of Sand Gap was in our community, Saturday and took dinner at his uncle's, Perry McCollum.—Faint Malleot left, Tuesday, for Illinois, where he will work this summer.—John Martin made a business trip to Climax, Friday.—Several of this place attended Circuit Court at McKee, Monday.—Miss Maggie McCollum visited the Misses Stella and Flora Sparks, Sunday.—Mrs. Maggie Morris visited her mother, Mrs. Sallie Martin, Sunday.—The Misses Martha and Willie Hillard were visiting at Perry McCollum's, Sunday afternoon.—Corn is selling at sixty cents per bushel. Irish potatoes at sixty cents and eggs at twelve cents.

PARROT

Parrot, Mar. 28.—One of the largest tides seen for many years was in the Rockcastle River, Wednesday and Wednesday night. The staves and ties on the river bank were saved by hard work.—Mrs. Rachel Price and little son have returned from Hamilton, O.—Mrs. Stephen Gabbard has been on the sick list for the last few days.—Lucy Price has been visiting her uncle, Andrew Gabbard, near Annette.—Services at the new church house last Saturday and Sunday were conducted by Revs. Cornelius and York.—There will be services here the fourth Saturday and Sunday in April.

TYNER

Tyner, Mar. 28.—Little Agnes Moore who has been confined to her bed all winter, is slowly improving.—The heavy rains of the past week caused the biggest tides in the Laurel Fork Creek that has ever been known. It swept out all feeling in the valley, also uncle Alfred Johnson's mill dam at Mildred.—J. H. Jones is very sick with pneumonia.—J. T. Moore has gone to Illinois to farm this season.—W. R. Reynolds has purchased another fine horse and two thoroughbred Jacks for the Jacksonian Stock farm.—Chester Jones sold two yearling mules last week for \$200.—Haley Simpson of Olla made a business trip to our town the past week.—Mrs. Lillie Dunigan who spent the winter in Florida is now at East Bernstadt on her way home.—Clay Underwood of Delvina has been visiting old friends in this vicinity.—Good milk cows are selling from \$10 to \$75 in this vicinity.

CARICO

Carico, Mar. 30.—The large tide in Laurel Fork did great damage to fencing and took all the ties near its banks.—The twelve year old son of Arthur McDaniel cut one of his toes off last week.—Mrs. John Summers is in very poor health.—Wm. Fabius who was badly injured by a log rolling over his body is much better.—Aunt Cosby Cole has gone to live with her daughter, Mrs. Nancy

Tineher, during the summer.—Mrs. Lucy Evans and son, Vester, of Lile, visited relatives of this place recently.—Mrs. Lily Smith is sick again.—S. R. Roberts is having his taken up at Livingston at present.—Born to Mrs. S. R. Roberts, a fine boy, the 22nd. His name is Basil.—Mrs. Dora Per of Tennessee was visiting her mother, John Shelton, of this place last week.—James Lunsford filled his regular appointment at Flat Top the third Sunday in this month. He also gave an appointment for the third Sunday in April at Cornett Chapel at Lile.

CLAY COUNTY

HURNING SPRINGS

Hurning Springs, Mar. 28.—The wife of Hugh Lunsford died last week leaving a husband and family to mourn her loss.—Mrs. Hubbard of Pigeon Roost has had a cancer removed by Dr. Hornsby. She is getting along very well.—Stephen Clark is recovering from a very painful abscess in his mouth.—Miss Nancy A. Martello left on Wednesday to live in Indiana.—Dr. G. G. Maggard has returned from Hyden.—Mrs. James Tankersley has returned from the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. H. McCollum.—Many of the rafts were sent out on the recent tides.—The Union Sunday School celebrated Easter with a very interesting service. It, as well as the church service, provided over by the Rev. C. S. Chestnut, were well attended.—The recent wind and rain storms did but little damage about here as compared with the destruction at other places. Much anxiety is being manifested by those having relatives in Dayton and Hamilton regarding their safety. Reports have come that many lives were lost in both places.

VINE

Vine, Mar. 27.—The storm of last Friday morning did great damage

night with Berry and Lancy Peters, Thursday.—Minnie Anderson visited Eva Peters, Thursday night.—Miss Eva Peters spent last Monday with Lila Peters. Lila Peters and her brother, Crate, visited Maud and Joe Palmer, Saturday night.

SOUTH FORK

South Fork, Mar. 28.—A. E. Campbell is farming lots this spring.—Bill C. Gilbert had a working, Friday.—The school at Booneville closed, Mar. 21st. The school did excellent work with Prof. C. L. Seale, M. T. Strong and Miss Fannie Glass as teachers.—James L. Campbell of this place attended school at Booneville this winter.—Carrie Gilbert visited her sister, Mrs. H. C. Conley, Saturday and Sunday.—Revs. J. W. Anderson and I. W. Seale filled their regular appointments at Macedonia, Saturday and Sunday with one addition to the church.—Rev. I. A. and Ed Gabbard filled their regular appointments at Wolf Creek, Saturday and Sunday.—J. L. Williams of this place still suffers a great deal with rheumatism.

ROCKCASTLE COUNTY

CLIMAX

Climax, Mar. 26.—Mrs. Matt Bullen died suddenly a few days ago and was buried at Scotland Cemetery. She leaves a husband and family to mourn her loss.—J. W. Chaudson of Johnetta lost his barn, two mules, harness and other goods by fire, the 29th. The fire was caused by the carelessness of a work hand.—Jennette sold his farm, known as the old stand of W. D. McInire, to George Gatloff for \$200.—Boog Gadd lost a fine cow, Friday night.—Geo. Gatloff of Ekron, Jackson County, moved, the 23rd, to his property at Goochland that he bought of J. Cox.

PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, Mar. 2.—Mr. and Mr.

Gatun Lock With Water In It

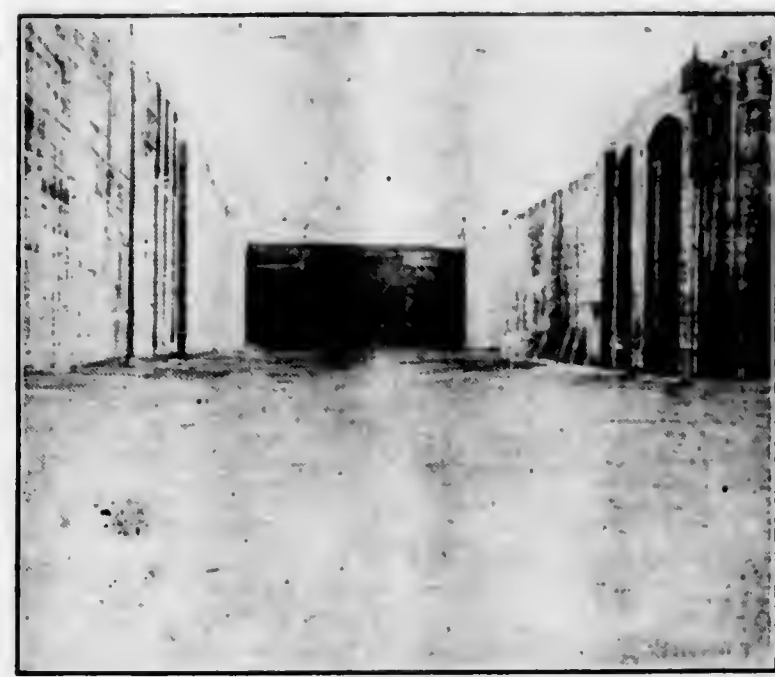


Photo by American Press Association.

THIS is but one of the twins of the three twin locks at Gatun on the Panama canal. Alongside of it is another identically the same, while similar locks are encountered approaching these locks and again leaving them. Between the three twins they lift the monster ships of the ocean up the eighty-five foot elevation to the great artificial Gatun lake that takes them onward to the Pacific. Ships coming in the opposite direction are lowered to the level of the Atlantic. In order to save water and hasten the loading of boats each lock chamber is divided into subchambers—one 550 feet long and the other 350 feet long.

thru here.—Mrs. Rebecca Browning who has been confined to her bed all winter, is slowly improving.—Rev. Boyd Baker of London, who held a protracted meeting at Mt. Olive, and also a few days at Stringtown, returned to his home last week.—Miss Mary Rice is staying at Welchburg this week.—Fred Sandlin and Chester Mappin of Laurel Creek visited friends and relatives at this place, Saturday and Sunday.—Jimmie Clark lost a fine mule last Saturday.—Ellen Estridge of Garrard County visited relatives at this place last week.—George Birch spent Saturday night with Wilson Hurley.—Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Browning of Beattyville visited relatives at this place last week.—Frank Clark and son of Richmond spent last Friday and Saturday with relatives of this place.—There was a big tide in Big Sexton, yesterday.—The people of this place were very much surprised to hear of the death of Wm. Smith. He died last Monday of fever.—Cows are still at \$10 up to \$55 in this neighborhood.—G. W. Browning made a business trip to Beattyville, Monday.—John Rice, who was getting very old and feeble, died at his home on Huncum last week.—Mr. Chester Baldwin of Mauldin and Miss Ollie Whittmore were quietly married at the bride's home some few days ago.

OWSLEY COUNTY

BLAKE

Blake, Mar. 28.—The weather continues wet. The water has been the highest of the season and many ties have been floated out.—Circuit Court is in session at Booneville, this week. Several of our citizens are attending.—Jack Peters visited his aunt, Marge Peters, on Cow Creek, Sunday night.—Daley Peters went to Anglin last Saturday to attend church, Saturday and Sunday.—Crate Peters spent the

George Clutz, who have been in West Virginia, are at Pittsburg again.—The fifth Saturday meeting of the Laurel River Association convened with the State Lick church, Friday.—Robert Broughton, who has been working at Arjay, returned home yesterday.—Noah Murray is very low. He is not expected to live but a short time.—The beautiful home of S. L. Tipton was burned a few days ago. Only a few things were saved.—Mrs. Laura Moore and Mr. John Sewer were married, Saturday night.—John Higgins has returned home.—Prof. Jones will begin a subscription school, Monday.

ESTILL COUNTY

LOCUST BRANCH

Locust Branch, Mar. 28.—There was a wind and rain storm here, Friday morning, blowing down trees and fencing and doing much damage.—

Nothing timid about a want ad.

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Undigested food is not only wasted food, but it is the source of very many bodily ailments.

KY. LOSS HEAVY ALONG OHIO RIVER

FORTY THOUSAND ARE HOME-
LESS AND MANY OTHERS
HAVE LOST THEIR LIVES.

GREAT DAMAGE IN KENTUCKY

Forty-Seven Foot Stage Expected at
Louisville—Food and Tents Asked
From the State—High Winds and
Water in the Mountain Districts.

Western Newspaper Union News Service
Louisville, Ky.—Fifty thousand are homeless, and from one end of Kentucky to the other come reports telling of a great damage wrought by the flood. The crest of the flood will not be reached for several days down in the western end of Kentucky, where a year ago high waters swept away homes and destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of property. Evansville, Ind., Cairo, Ill., and other smaller towns lying along the Ohio fear the worst and an exodus to safety has begun. Added to the number of homeless in Newport and Covington there are nearly 12,000 here and the number of homes deserted between here and the Mississippi is appalling. Related reports from the mountain sections tell of vast damage wrought by the high winds and waters.

A 47-foot stage was predicted instead of 45, and those who live in the lower portions of the city, which as yet have not been flooded, began moving out. Portland, which was only partially submerged, has become a small sea. Hundreds of homes were flooded and in many instances water stands well up in the second stories. On the point, where only tops of houses can be seen, the Ohio has done its worst. The weather beaten houses break from moorings, turn over and sweep down stream.

River Full of Wreckage.

The river has been full of wreckage for two days. The number of refugees increases hourly. Those out of work now number 5,000, and if the river reaches the predicted stage a number of other factories will have to close down.

It was announced here that the street railway will not stop its cars for even a 47-foot stage. Several lines may have to be abandoned, but the

power house will remain out of the danger zone.

In towns of any size associated charities and public-spirited citizens are doing everything possible to alleviate suffering, but from the Kentucky mountains, where every family is practically in the same condition, reports show that the flood has done even greater damage than at first reported. Little towns along the Kentucky and Licking river valleys suffered great property loss and provisions in many places are low.

While conditions will grow better in Eastern and Central Kentucky, Western Kentucky seems destined for the greatest flood in the history of the state. There will be at least a ten-foot rise at Cairo, Evansville and other points it is stated in reports from those places.

Reports received here from points between Louisville and Cincinnati and Louisville and the Mississippi on the west, told of the greatest precautions having been taken to prevent loss of life when the highest stages are reached in the Ohio.

Live stock of all kinds has been carried to the highlands, except at several points, both up and down the river, where cattle kept at distilleries to Gatun on the by-products of the plants, were caught in the rapidly rising waters before they could be untethered and driven to points of safety.

Such situations are being carefully watched by the health authorities, who will take suitable precautions to destroy all carcasses as soon as it is possible as a precaution against disease.

Funds were inaugurated to care for the refugees, most of whom were driven out of their homes when the floods in and around Louisville were flooded several days ago.

DAYTON BUILDINGS BURNED.

Dayton, O.—The following is a complete list of Dayton buildings destroyed by fire:

North Side Third Street.—Larkin Supply Co.; Klefaher Co.; Adamson Grocery Co.; C. A. Cooper Co., wholesale saddlery; Patterson Tool & Supply Co.; Johnson Blank Book Co.; Burkhardt & Hetherman, drug store; Kol. Hank, liquor company; Joseph Sabner, wholesale liquors.

South Side of Third Street.—Lowe Brothers, paint store; Charles A. P. Barret, paint company; Hayner, liquor store; Irwin, Jewell & Vinson, paint store; Kroger's grocery; Neppen's liquor store; Long's Storage Co.; Dodd, gun store (O. N. G. ordinance department); Klumel's seed store.

Jefferson Street.—Dayton & Troy electric station; W. D. Huber, furniture company; Graves's liquor store; Fred Ketter and Sons, wholesale liquors. The burned district reaches from Second to Fourth streets and from Jefferson to Library Park.

Most of the people are sowing their oats and preparing their corn ground.—Maggie Johnson has been visiting F. B. Campbell's folks for the past week.—H. G. Bicknell had an egg contest from Dec. 1st to Mar. 15th. He offered as a prize a fifteen dollar dresser to the one who brought the most eggs. Mr. Sid Laihart got the dresser. He brought 173 dozen. Mrs.

Mollie Bicknell, 163 dozen. Mrs. Sarah Campbell 112 dozen. The two ladies got a new dress apiece for holding out faithfully.—Clark Johnson of Horns River enjoyed an Easter dinner with his mother, Mrs. Campbell, last Sunday.—June Logsdon and his brother have returned home from Berea where they have been going to school.

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